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COTTON ON A BOOM

Sensational Advance on New York Exchange Yesterday.

PRICE WENT UP $3 PER BALE

Government Report of Unfavorable Crop Condition Was Cause—Short Crop NoNt Exceed-Short Crop Not Exceed-

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 2.—That cotton should have continued to advance is not at all surprising. The developments of the week have been almost uniformly bullish and to cap the climax the bureau report today proved to be sensational. Its figures were followed by a violent rise of about $3 a bale. The condition of 74.6 as stated by the government is 6 per cent. below the condition at this time last year and 6.2 per cent. under the average at this time for the past ten years. The advocates of still higher prices contend that this report makes it as clear as anything possibly can that all ideas of a crop in excess of 12,000,000 bales must be abandoned and they take the ground that unless ideal conditions prevail during July and August the outcome is likely to be under rather than over these figures. However that may be, today's report apparently puts the quietus upon all estimates in the neighborhood of 12,500,000 bales, to say nothing of higher guesses. Meantime, improvement in general trade is reported from various sections of the country, while in the textile industry itself there is no dearth of indications that trade is likely to keep on expanding throughout the season and that a heavy yield of cotton will be needed. The contention of the bulls is that the yield is certain to fall below the consumption and acting on this belief they have bought heavily and persistently. There has been a steady demand for print cloths and it is expected that the price of cloths will be advanced after the holidays.

Spot markets at the South have advanced. The stock of raw cotton here has decreased materially, and it is reported that freight room has been engaged for some 40,000 bales for shipment out of the local supply. Further rains have fallen in the Eastern belt and the reports from Texas go to show that boll weevil damage is increasing. As the crop in that State is admittedly two weeks late, it is expected that the damage from weevil will be more extensive than was the case last season. The bears have been routed, and the bulls, flushed with recent successes, are predicting much higher prices ultimately.

Government's RePort.

Washington, July 2.—The condition of the cotton report in the United States averaged 74.6 per cent. of a normal on June 25 last, according to today's report of the Department of Agriculture. This is against 81.1 on May 25 last. On June 25 a year ago it was 81.2 and two years ago 72.

The average condition on June 25 for ten years was 80.8. The condition of the cotton crop by States for June 25, 1909, June 25, 1908, and ten year average, respectively o,fllows:

Virginia—76 and 92 and 84; North Carolina, 75 and 89 and 84: South Carolina, 77 and 84 and 81; Georgia, 79 and 83 and 81; Florida, 88 and 84 and 85; Alabama, 64 and 82 and 80; Mississippi, 61 and 84 and 80; Louisiana, 62 and 80 and 81; Texas, 79 and 80 and 80; Arkansas, 76 and 85 and 81; Tennessee, 80 and 89 and 84; Missouri, 83 and 87 and 84; Oklahoma, 84 and 64 and 82.

OUTLINES.

In the Senate yesterday the amendment to levy a tax of 2 per cent. on the net incomes of corporations was passed by a vote of 60 to 11, eight Republicans and three Democrats voting no. The corporation tax was substituted for the proposed income tax amendment, but all the Democrats voted no on that proposition——On the New York market yesterday cotton took a sensational advance of $3 per bale, because of the government's bureau report showing bad conditions of the growing crop. The estimate for a crop of only 12,000,000 bales is made ——Bradstreet's report that business throughout the country is improving and especially the lumber industry of the South——At Cobalt, Ont., yesterday fire destroyed $400,000 in property and among the casualties was one man killed and six injured——Cornell University won all the races at the 15th annual regatta of the Inter-collegiate Association yesterday——After making two successful flights at Fort Myer yesterday the Wright aeroplane dashed to earth when the motor stopped and was badly damaged. Orville Wright escaped uninjured—— New York markets: Money on call easy 1 3-4 to 1 7-8 per cent., ruling rate, closing bid and offered at 1 3-4. Spot cotton 50 points higher, closing steady at 12.60. Flour dull and lower to sell. Wheat easy, No. 2 red old 1.45 in elevator and f.o.b. afloat. Corn steady, No. 2 old 79 in elevator. Oats weak, mixed 58 nominal. Turpentine steady. Rosin steady.

White canvas oxfords for the glorious Fourth at Peterson & Rulfs. **

TWENTY MEN ARE KILLED

Wall of New Dock Collapsed and They Met Fearful Death—Number Pinned in Debris Still Live. Work of Rescue.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Newport, Monmouthshire, Eng., July 2.—It is estimated that 20 men perished today by the sudden collapse of the west wall of the new lock at the entrance to the Alexandra dock.

The extension of the dock work has been in progress for some time and fifty men were working in a trench sixty feet deep preparing for the laying of a concrete foundation. Without the slightest warning the heavy shoring timbers gave way in the middle and the entire structure collapsed and carried down with it thousands of tons of earth, the railway lines on both sides of the trench, many railway cars and four traveling cranes.

The men at the bottom of the trench, which was 100 yards long and 30 feet wide, had no chance to escape, but many of those working nearer the surface were un-injured. The work of rescue was begun immediately after the collapse and three men were taken out alive. The bodies of some of the dead also were rescued.

Late tonight, four men, still living, were pinned in the debris in the trench. The incoming tide made the work of rescue very difficult. The engineers in charge of the work are unable to account for the collapse of the shoring timbers.

CORNELL WON ALL RACES

Made Clean Sweep in Inter-Collegiate Regatta Yesterday.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., July 2.—This was Cornell's day on the Hudson as decisively as yesterday was Harvard's on the Thames. Her stalwart crews made a clean sweep of the fifteenth annual regatta of the Inter-collegiate Rowing Association. Cornell established two records for the two-mile course, one in the varsity four-oard race and another in the freshmen eight oared race. Tonight Cornell men are celebrating in true Cornell style.

Cornell's sweeping victory was not unexpected. It was conceded that she would take the four oared and probably the freshman race, but there was some doubt about the varsity, the big race of the day. This proved to be the hardest contest, the other two being won in rather easy fashion. In the varsity eight-oared competition, however, Cornell met a stubborn and unexpected contender in Columbia, and it took all the stamina and great row ing strength of the crew to poke the bow of their shell across the finish line a scant length in the lead. In the four oared race Cornell won easily, three lengths ahead of Syracuse, and in the freshman race by a length,also from Syracuse.

The colleges that participated in the race were Cornell, Pennsylvania, Columbia, Wisconsin and Syracuse.

SERIOUS AUTO ACCIDENT.

Eight Persons Injured at Macon, Ga., When Car Ran Into Fence.

Macon, Ga., July 2.—Eight persons were injured, four seriously, when the large touring car of J. W. Millirons turned turtle this evening. The injured: J. W. Millirons, head cut and serious internal injuries; W. W. Shropshire, internal injuries; Miss Bessie Shropshire, knee broken; Mrs. J. L. Millirons, severe contusions about face; Sanford Garfield, aged 14, badly bruised; three infants severely bruised. The four latter are not seriously hurt.

Mr. Millirons was driving the machine when the accident occurred. He attempted to pass another automobile when he lost control of his car and it dashed into a barbed wire fence. Three of the occupants were lacerated by being thrown on the fence.

BOY SERIOUSLY HURT.

Fayetteville Lad Fell From Rafter and Condition is Critical.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Fayetteville, N. C., July 2.—Master David Martin, six-year-old son of Mr. A. E. Martin, of this city, fell today from a rafter of a woodhouse on his father's premises and, though he was not thought to be seriously injured at the time, internal injuries have developed that render his condition critical.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcement by Wilmington Pastors For Services Tomorrow.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, corner of Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. Alex. D. McClure, D. D., pastor: Sabbath services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sabbath School at 4 P. M. W. C. E. Society at 7:30 P. M. Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8 P. M. The public is cordially invited. Seats free.

First Presbyterian Church, corner Third and Orange streets, Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor: Services tomorrow, Sunday, at 11 A. M. and 6 P. M. Sunday School 9:45 A. M. Usual mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:15 P. M. Seats free; all welcome.

Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., expects to preach at Middle Sound tomorevening at 8:30 P. M. Seats free; all

Dr. J. M. Wells will conduct the service at the chapel on the beach tomorrow, Sunday.

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WRIGHT IN ACCIDENT

Aeroplane Dashed to Earth When Motor Stopped.

MACHINE BADLY DAMAGED

Orville Wright Escaped Uninjured. Two Successful Flights Were Made—Skids Were Broken and Wing Ripped.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, July 2.—Two successful flights were made by Orville Wright in his aeroplane at Fort Myer this afternoon, but the machine came to ground and struck the earth upon the conclusion of its second spin through the air.

The machine was on its way around the drill grounds for the ninth time in its second fight when the motor stopped six feet above the earth and exactly in the place where the propeller blade broke last September, which resulted in the fatal accident that terminated the trials at that time. In gliding to the earth, machine struck a tree and was swerved around with such force that the skids were broken and the right wing badly ripped. Mr. Wright was not hurt.

The flights today were the most successful that Orville Wright has made at Fort Myer since his return to complete the trials. On the first attempt he flew about the field twelve times in 11 minutes and fifty seconds and on the second trial he had gone around eight and one-half times when the flight was terminated by the mishap. He had been in the air for a little more than eight minutes. During both flights Mr. Wright went higher and faster than in the trials of the two previous days. It was estimated that his speed was about 37 miles and hour on an average.

The glide which covered a distance of perhaps 300 feet was beautiful to behold, but there were few in the crowd of a thousand or more spectators who did not fear for a moment that they were about to witness a repetition of last years accident. Orville and Wilbur inspected the machine closely to see what caused the motor to stop. They did not announce the result of their investigation but said that the aeroplane would not be ready for another fight before Tuesday at the earliest, because it would be necessary to send to their Dayton shop for material with which to repair it.

"The motor stopped just as I was over the aeropline shed" said Orville Wright after the machine had been returned to the she. "When you are over bushes and trees you cannot see their height and it was due to a miscalculation on my part that the wing hit the tree and swung the machine around, causing it to land sidewise on the skids. If it had not been for the tree I would have landed safely. It was too bad the accident has happened, because the machine was going fine today. It was making better speed than yesterday and more than the machine that I used last year. I should judge the machine was going over 40 miles an hour at certain times."

The motor on the aeroplane had been missing explosions for some time before it finally stopped. Otherwise the machine had acted much better today than on its previous tests.

As soon as Orville began his second flight it was evident that he and his brother had agreed that he should travel higher and make longer turns than he had made on his previous flights. On the third round of the field he went way beyond the aeroplane shed and was one minute and 15 seconds in traveling around the field, while his average trips before had been of fifty seconds duration. He rose to a maximum height of 60 to 70 feet.

EVENTS AT LUMINA

Handsome Prize List For Athletic and Aquatic Sports on Monday.

Some very handsome prizes are offered by the Tidewater Power Co., for the series of athletic and acquatic sports at Lumina on Monday, beginning at 3 o'clock. Two handsome brass loving cups are offered in the canoe race, one mile course from a line on the beach through the surf, around a buoy and back to starting point. Tickets are offered in two potato races one for boys under and the other over 16 years of age; souvenirs for two flag races by girls under and over 10 years; tickets for two sack races for boys over an under 16 years; also for a free-for-all 100-yards dash, 50-yard three-legged race for boys under 16 and 75-yards three legged race for boys over 16. Then there will be a tug of war between teams composed of six on a side and the swimming race over half-mile course, same conditions as canoe race. Prizes for the swimming race are two silver loving cups. Where tickets are indicated first prize will be five round-trip fares to the beach; second, two round-trip tickets and third, one round-trip ticket. The events are open to all and entries may be made either at the Tidewater office or at the Y. M. C. A.

TAFT'S TAX MEASURE

Corporation Tax Amendment Passed by Senate Late Yesterday.

FINAL VOTE STOOD 60 TO 11

Eight Republicans Voted With Three Democrats in Negative—Income Tax Knocked Out—Would Not Tax Bonds.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, July 2.—The corporation tax amendment, which was suggested by President Taft is an integral part of the tariff bill as that bill now stands.

After much tribulation, the Senate reached a vote shortly before adjournment at 7 o'clock P. M. today and the amendment was agreed to, 60 to 11. Many Democrats voted with most of the Republicans for the amendment. Only three Democrats voted against the provision on the final vote, but some refrained from voting at all.

The test vote was on the substitution of the corporation tax amendment for the income tax provision and on that vote 45 Senators cast their ballots in the affirmative and 31 in the negative. On this ballot all the Democratic votes were cast in favor of the income tax, which also received the support of a number of the Insurgent Republicans.

The Senate tomorrow will enter upon the administrative features of the tariff bill, probably taking up the maximum and minimum rate provision.

There was a steady fire of oratory from the beginning of the session at 10 o'clock until 4:30 o'clock this afternoon. When this fire ceased, Mr. Aldrich took the floor and made request for a unanimous agreement for a vote on the corporation tax amendment tomorrow at 1 o'clock. Previous to presenting this request there had been much conferring between Mr. Aldrich and Messrs. Bailey, Cummins, Borah and other opponents of the amendment, and it was generally supposed that they had reached an understanding that the vote should be taken tomorrow as suggested by Mr. Aldrich. When it seemed that such a compact was probable, Senator Cummins entered formal objection to the unanimous agreement, which not only had the effect of preventing the fixing of the vote tomorrow, but of forcing it today.

The first vote was upon the motion to substitute the corporation amendment for the Lodge countervailing duty amendment, and this prevailed, 45 to 31. The affirmative vote was cast entirely by Republicans, even Senator McEnery, of Louisiana, who has voted with the majority side for all protective measures, throwing his ballot with his own party.

Immediately following, Mr. Lodge withdrew his amendment and a vote was taken on a motion to substitute the corporation tax amendment for the income tax amendment offered jointly by Messrs. Bailey and Cummins. The result was an exact counterpart of the vote on the previous roll call.

Next came the vote upon the corporation tax provision upon its own merits, but before this ballot could be reached Mr. Bacon sought to obtain action upon two amendments to that provision presented by himself, both of which Mr. Aldrich moved to lay upon the table with successful result.

The first provided for an exemption of educational, charitable and religious institutions, against which Mr. Aldrich made his first point of order. Because he did so he fell into a sharp clash with its author. The effect of the point of order was to cut off debate, but Mr. Aldrich chanced to drop the remark that he would "allow" Mr. Bacon to proceed. The form of the expression seemed to incense the Georgia Senator and he retorted sharply to the effect that he was "not surprised that Mr. Aldrich should assume such a manner because he had been dictating to the Senate so long that he was accustomed to use language of that kind." When the amendment was laid on the table 42 to 32, the Georgia Senator immediately presented another amendment requiring the taxation of bonds, which was rejected 41 to 34.

Then, without any preliminaries, the final vote was taken. It was upon agreeing to the corporation tax amendment as a part of the tariff bul. This amendment was adopted, 60 to 11. Of these, eight votes were cast by Republicans and three by Democrats, the Republicans being Borah, Bristow, Bulkely, Clapp, Cummins, Dolliver, Heyburn and LaFollette, and the Democrats, Chamberlain, Hughes and Shiveley. Among those in the affirmative were: Bailey, Bankhead, Culberson, Daniel, Davis, Fletcher, Foster, Gore, Johnston, McEnery, McLaurin, Martin, Money, Newlands, Rayner, Taliaferro and Taylor, Democrats.

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STATE BAR ASSOCIATION

Brilliant Ball Came as Finale Last Night—Election of Officers and Other Features of the Convention at Asheville.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Asheville, N. C., July 2.—The North Carolina Bar Association, in session here since Wednesday, finished with the election of officers today. Thomas W. Davis, a Wilmington man, was unanimously re-elected secretary and treasurer.

The following is a list of the officers elected: Col. John W. Hinsdale, of Raleigh, president; Thomas W. Davis, secretary and treasurer; Mr. A. M. Scales, of Greensboro and A. B. Andrews, Jr., of Raleigh, were elected members of the executive committee.

The vice presidents were elected from the 15 judicial districts as follows: First, C. S. Vann, of Edenton; Second, R. C. Dunn, of Enfield; Third, C. L. Abernathy, of Beaufort; Fourth, A. C. Zollincoffer, of Henderson; Fifth, J. D. Bellamy, of Wilmington; Sixth, W. H. Pace, of Raleigh; Seventh, A. W. McLean, of Lumberton; Eighth, U. L. Spence, of Carthage; Ninth, A. L. Brooks, of Greensboro; Tenth, George P. Pell, of Winston; Eleventh, Z. V. Walser, of Lexington; Twelfth, R. L. Ryburn, of Shelby; Thirteenth, W. W. Barber, of Wilkesboro; Fourteenth, J. W. Pless, of Marion; Fifteenth, Locke Craig, of Asheville; Sixteenth, W. H. Moore, of Webster.

In the evening a ball was given at the Battery Park Hotel by the Asheville Bar Association complimentary to the State Association. Wrightsville asked for the next convention but the matter was left to the executive committee.

COUNTRY'S BUSINESS IMPROVING

Better Reports From Lumber Industry in the South.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 2.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say: Retail trade has been helped by steady hot weather, holiday preparations and clearance sales, but there are still not lacking reports from many cities that the Spring and early Summer turnover is below expectations. Jobbing trade is of a mid-Summer, small filling-in-order character.

The strength of demand for cotton goods at hardening quotations and the satisfactory reports as to orders booked by woolen and worsted goods manufacturers for next Spring's delivery at very high prices are by far the notable features.

In industrial lines the gains previously shown seem to be held. Iron and steel are active, a hardening of values is noted and some finishing mills are active much more independently toward those backward in filing specifications. Better reports are coming from the lumber trade, particularly at the South. Shoes and leather trades are showing more activity.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending with July 1, were 213 against 223 last week and 236 in the like week of 1908.

CANADIAN TOWN FIRE SWEPT

Nearly Half Million Dollars Lost. One Man Killed.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Cobalt, Ont., July 2.—Fire swept through Cobalt today causing a loss estimated at between $350,000 and $400,000, at least one death and the injury of six persons. It is estimated that 2,000 persons are homeless tonight. Starting in the kitchen of a Chinese restaurant, the flames spread rapidly and were soon beyond control. Stores, saloons, and other business structures were consumed and both sides of the street for half a mile were burned clean. A strong wind was blowing and the use of dynamite was resorted to to check the flames. It was during the use of dynamite that the one fatality occurred. A foreigner unidentified, rushed in the building just as a charge went off.

With the assistance of the fire apparatus from Haileybury and New Liskeard the fire was got under control late today. Of the loss, not more than one tenth is covered by insurance.

Several children are missing, but it is thought that they will turn up safely. Thieves were busy this evening but the burned area is being properly guarded.

BIG DISSOLUTION SALE.

Begins Today at Store of Ed N. Penny, 28 South Front Street.

On account of the dissolution of the old firm of W. J. Penny & Co., it has been decided by Mr. Ed N. Penny to put on gigantic dissolution sale commencing today at 9 A. M. at 28 South Front street and continuing ten days. Everything in the store will be sacrificed to meet the necessity and nothing will be reserved, so that purchasers should call early and get the pick of a number of unusual bargains that are offered in an attractive advertisement elsewhere in today's paper. The sale will especially include men's suits and trousers, hats and caps, underwear and a general line of gents' furnishings. The guarantee is satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

Notice.

On Monday, July 5th, the Suburban freight car will only make the 10 o'clock A. M. trip. Freight depot open from 8 to 10 A. M. **

STATE BAR ASSOCIATION

NO HITS ON HOWARD

Eleven Innings Without a Saftey by The Wily "Reuben".

SAILORS WIN TWO TO ONE

Wilson Champs Continue to Climb While Railroaders Take One From Goldsboro—Great Game This Afternoon.

Results Yesterday.
Wilmington 2, Fayetteville 1.
Rocky Mount 6, Goldsboro 3.
Raleigh 0, Wilson 3.

Games Today.
Fayetteville at Wilmington.
Goldsboro at Rocky Mount.
Raleigh at Wilson.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Wilson	23	13	.639
Raleigh	22	15	.595
Goldsboro	22	17	.564
Wilmington	20	21	.488
Rocky Mount	13	22	.371
Fayetteville	12	24	.333

For eleven long innings yesterday afternoon at League Park, the Fayetteville Highlanders were unable to connect with the delivery of "Rube" Howard for a single safety, the aforesaid Mr. Howard repeating his performance of the same variety at Goldsboro recently, and the game went to Wilmington by a score of two to one, none down in the eleventh when the winning run was made.

Two errors, a sacrifice and a double steal pulled off in the very first inning gave the visitors their lonesome run, while Wilmington scored in the fourth and last. In the first inning Lohr was safe on error of Nichols, was sacrificed by Guerrant; then Clemens was safe on error of Sharp and with Schumaker at bat, Lohr and Clemens pulled off a double robbery that cost the run. Schumaker flew out to left and Streaser fanned. Smith got a single with two down in Wilmington's half. In the second and third sessions there was nothing of any particular interest but in the fourth after Smith flew to short, Brodie laid down a pretty one in left and was given second on pitcher's balk; Levy made a nice bunt and out at first, but in the meantime Brodie was busy on bases and before Galvin, behind the bat, knew what had happened, the "Big Steam" came puffing over the marble and the score was tied. Sharp flew to right.

The fifth inning was strictly a Jayes affair. The diminutive left fielder made a sensational running catch over the foul line of Lohr's fly and a moment later relieved Guerrant of at least a double to left centre, the grandstand giving him a great ovation, which broke into pandemonium a moment later when he came to bat first for Wilmington and ran out a drive to short; Kite then sacrificed him to second and he sprinted safely to third, but unfortunately Howard fanned and Hemp was out, short to first, only a near-score having developed. Lohr relieved Levy of a beautiful drive to centre in the seventh but otherwise there was nothing of any particular importance doing until the eleventh when Kite, first up, hit a beauty to left with the result that Clemens let it get away from him and Kite went to second; Howard bunted nicely and both runners were safe; Hemp up and Howard stole second; then a little later there was a throw to catch Howard at second, the ball went wild and Kite brought in the winning run.

The Tabulated Score.

Fayetteville	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Lohr, cf	5	1	0	3	1	0
Guerrant, 3b	4	0	0	1	4	0
Clemens, lf	5	0	0	1	0	1
Schumaker, 1b	4	0	0	13	0	0
Streaser, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
McKernan, 2b	3	0	0	3	6	0
O'Neill, ss	3	0	0	9	3	0
Galvin, c	4	0	0	7	1	1
Waters, p	4	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	35	1	0	30	*15	2

*None out when winning run made.

Wilmington	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Hemp, ss	3	0	0	1	1	2
Nichols, 1b	4	0	0	7	2	1
Smith, 3b	4	0	1	1	1	1
Brodie, cf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Levy, rf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Sharp, 2b	4	0	0	5	2	1
Jayes, lf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Kite, c	2	1	1	11	1	0
Howard, p	4	0	2	0	1	0
Totals	31	2	6	33	8	5

Score by Innings.

Fayetteville	.100 000 000 00—1	0	2
Wilmington	.000 100 000 01—2	6	5

Summary—Double plays, McKernan to Schumaker; sacrifice hits, Guerrant, McKernan, Levy, Kite; stolen bases, Lohr, Guerrant, Clemens, Brodie and Jayes 2; bases on balls, off Waters 2, Howard 2; struck out, by Waters 6, Howard 1; time 2:10; umpire, Kelly; attendance 400.

Shut-Out at Wilson.

Wilson, N. C., July 2.—The Tobacconists sprinkled salt on the tails of the Red Birds this afternoon to perfection, score 3 to 0. Anderson was in the box for the locals, and Rube Brandon did the twirling for the visit-

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FAYETTEVILLE THE GATEWAY CITY.

We are glad to notice that about every city in North Carolina lays claim to being either the gateway, the metropolis, or the city with the greatest future. We can hardly pick up one of our State exchanges without finding in them article after article bragging, blowing, boosting and booming for all they are worth. They've got something to base it on, too, for when we begin to look around over North Carolina we find scores of cities worthy of all that is said about them. Each has its peculiar advantages and the man who wants to establish an industry or make a home will make no mistake if he locates in any one of them.

Among those cities which are doing considerable boasting and indulging justifiable ambition is the delightful old upper Cape Fear city of Fayetteville. It is one of the coming cities of the State, and the Fayetteville Index goes so far ,in its issue of June 30th, as to publish on the front page a railroad map of the town and vicinity, styling the place, "Fayetteville, the Gateway City." The map makes a splendid and even astounding showing and the Index backs up the claim with an impressive article on the "Strategic Position of Fayetteville." Our esteemed contemporary says:

"The map on this page shows Fayetteville's unequalled railroad facilities and transportation advantages—why Fayetteville is destined to become 'The Gateway City' of North Carolina. It will be seen that eight lines of railroad virtually come into Fayetteville from as many directions, converging like the spokes of a wheel to the hub, making Fayetteville a 'hub city' to bring the products of North Carolina here to be shipped by water to other sections of America and to foreign markets while the products of other States and other lands may be brought here by water and distributed over North Carolina. Who says the time will not come when Fayetteville will be the great shipping and distributing point for North Carolina as Philadelphia is for Pennsylvania? No other city in the State has such advantages—water transportation over 110 miles from the ocean—in the heart of the State—with railroad facilities by which every part of the State may be quickly and easily reached.

"The eight railroad lines coming into Fayetteville belong to four different companies. The Atlantic Coast Lines' trunk line runs through Fayetteville, which is midway between New York and Florida. Besides the trunk line, a branch line also goes through Fayetteville, and still another has its terminal here. The Raleigh & Southport connects with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway at Raleigh, 64 miles away, furnishing competition among the three great railway systems of the State.

"You can leave Fayetteville in the morning and spend several hours in Goldsboro, Raleigh, Durham, Greensboro, Charlotte, Wilmington, Charleston, Columbia, Richmond or Norfolk and return here before midnight, or you can go from here to Asheville or come from Asheville here in one day. Twenty-eight passenger trains either leave or enter Fayetteville every 24 hours, while eight others either leave or arrive at Hope Mills, six miles away, making through connections to and from Fayetteville. There are numerous splendid towns all over this section to serve as feeders to Fayetteville, with none of competitive size nearer than Raleigh, 64 miles away."

It makes us feel good to see Fayetteville puffed up over her advantages and it is all the more gratifying because the claims of the Gateway City are based on the strongest grounds, amply set down in black and white in the map printed in the Index. However, the railroad advantages of Fayetteville are supplemented by river transportation from Wilmington, with regular steamer service between North Carolina's chief port and the Gateway City. Besides these transportation facilities, Fayetteville is in the midst of a circuit of waterpowers, and as a matter of fact, there is in the centre of the city a mill that is operated by waterpower right at its door. Then again, the Buckhorn Shoals hydro-electric plant is near the city, with its lines already furnishing power for lighting and industrial purposes. Therefore, as might be anticipated, Fayetteville is a live industrial centre, with its silk and cotton mills and other enterprises going to make up a community of substantial growth and future promise. Fayetteville has room for many others, and with a climate unequalled and a people noted for hospitality and public spirit, she has the glad hand ready for all comers.

Fayetteville's progress and development deeply concerns Wilmington for it makes good for the necessity for the canalization of the Cape Fear river, with locks and dams, providing an eight foot navigable channel from Wilmington to Fayetteville, there connecting our port with those eight railway lines running in all directions in and out of Fayetteville. It is an absolute surety that with the river navigation improved by the government, it will afford an immense traffic for Fayetteville and a wide scope of country with which Wilmington is in close touch commercially.

If Fayetteville keeps up her present clip the government won't be long in seeing the actual necessity for speeditiously carrying out the scheme for the canalization of the Cape Fear. Next to the Beaufort to Norfolk inland waterway project, we know of no internal improvement that should so appeal to Congress as the immediate deepening of the channel from Wilmington to Fayetteville.

The expenditure of the Republic's money for the improvement of harbors and rivers is with the specific view of increasing the Nation's commerce, and with Wilmington showing up as America's fifth cotton exporting port and Fayetteville making good at the head of navigation on the Cape Fear, there is every logical reason why the government should hurry up with the betterment of the navigation of the Cape Fear from the bar to Wilmington and Fayetteville.

NEW PAPER AT RALEIGH.

Mr. J. C. Caddell, a newspaper man of recognized ability but who strayed away from the fold several years ago, is again to put on the harness. It is announced that about the first of August he will launch "The State Democrat" at Raleigh, and will make it a weekly publication devoted to politics and news. Brother Caddell is a man of conscientious principles and strong convictions, and what he writes will be strictly on the square deal order. He is a good writer and a capital man, and for one The Star wishes him the fullest measure of success with his new paper.

Even if Senator Tillman didn't induce the Senate to put a tariff tax of 10 cents a pound on tea to protect South Carolina's infant tea industry, it showed tea drinkers how they might have got it in the neck by making big contributions to encourage tea growing.

While the cities and towns are talking of more railroads and better transportation facilities for moving products from interior points to ports, the farmer should talk good roads so he can economically and comfortably move his produce to his market.

President Taft went too far away and waited too long, when he took that occasion at Yale College to shy that warning to a Republican Congress. The horse had already been taken from the unlocked stable.

Governor Joe Brown, of Georgia, did not make a single pledge in his inaugural address. He probably wanted to keep the Crackers guessing about the things he is going to spring on them.

The girl graduate who is now helping ma will find it to her advantage to send her address to the young man who is married to his job and makes a regular deposit in the savings bank.

First thing you know those new railroad centres will have Charlotte isolated.

Somebody actually palmed a gold brick off on a New York jeweler. He should acknowledge that he is in the wrong business and forthwith come to North Carolina and buy a farm.

Senator Aldrich took a little rest yesterday, but he entirely neglected his fag till he landed all those protection schedules. Thus he delivered the goods to the Trusts.

Well, it is a fact that we can like a man personally but can't have any use for him politically.

There will now be a decided decrease in "hot flues" in the State of Tennessee.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Oh you "unwritten law," take a back seat while insanity holds the stage.—Laurinburg Exchange.

—We pass laws to punish negroes for vagrancy, and then propose other laws to keep them out of work!—Savannah Morning News.

—Today the mills and banks of Spartanburg paid out in semi-annual dividends a sum aggregating $350,000 This would indicate that the Roosevelt panic is on its last legs.—Charlotte News, July 1.

—The cotton plant has wonderful powers of recuperation. The cotton fields about Charlotte seem to be in a condition 50 per cent better than they were three weeks ago. Near Gastonia yesterday, The Chronicle was shown a cotton field that has had a record for years past of two bales to the acre, and the hoe-hands at work in it said it would do the same thing this year.—Charlotte Chronicle.

—It is a fact, as The Star says, that Mr. Spencer took great interest in the welfare of the men in the Southern's employ. It is doubtless if such close relations and genuine regard existed between the official head and the subordinates on any other railroad in the country. Mr. Spencer had worked his way up from the position of section master and he knew how, out of experience, to enter into the spirit of the ups and downs of the men. They trusted him because he deserved their confidence and they always received justice at his hands. The Southern's employes could devote themselves to no more worthy task than establishing a memorial to their unfailing friend.—Salisbury Post.

TWINKLINGS.

—"Are you fond of lobsters, Miss Flip?" "Lobsters?" "Yes," "Oh,, this is so sudden."—United Presbyterian.

—Etiquette—"Always rise when a lady enters the car, and remain standing until she is seated—and generally a long time afterward."—Life.

—"Dad, what sort of a bureau is a matrimonial bureau?" "Oh, any bureau that has five drawers' full of women's fixings and one man's tie in it."—Houston Post.

—She—Do you think it would take you long to learn to love a girl? He—I don't know. How long have you got?—Yonkers Statesman.

—"Necessity is the mother of invention." "What now?" "A man has invented an umbrella to be carried in the pocket.—Boston Herald.

—Judge (at the close of the trial)—Prisoner, you may have the last word. Prisoner (turning to his wife in the audience)—Do you hear that, old lady?"—Meggendorfer Blaetter.

—"I suppose you will always be ready to answer when your country calls you?" "Yes," answered Senator Sorghum, "and what's more, if I see any occasion when I can be of service, I won't stand on ceremony with my country. I'll speak first."—Washington Star.

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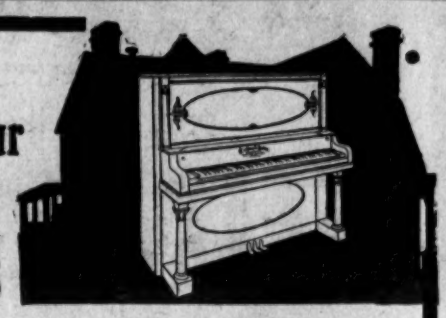

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DAY'S DOINGS IN RALEIGH

Automobile Highway Seems Assured. Pardons Declined by Governor. Case Against Salvation Army Withdrawn—Other News.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 2.—F. S. Weldon, of Atlanta, secretary of the Capital to Capital Automobile Highway Association, is here making visitations to the local authorities along the line. He has assurance from the authorities at Atlanta to Lee county, N. C., that the highway will be put in thorough condition. He went tonight to Sanford for a conference with the Lee county authorities where a determination is already expressed to meet the requirement.

Governor Kitchin declines pardon to Julius Hudson, serving 15 years from Johnston county for murder in the second degree; John Stephens, Columbus county, 18 months for retailing; and John Hudson, 18 months from Columbus county, for retailing.

It is understood that the test suit to settle the validity of the $500,000 State bond issue act is to be in the form of a suit by the State Treasurer against the Raleigh Savings Bank to compel the Bank to take the bonds under the terms of the bid accepted by the Council of State. To this the bank will make answer that it and its clients are ready to take the bonds when the cloud involving the provision is cleared. This will be heard by the Superior Court judge at the July term of Wake court and the case will be advanced on the Supreme Court calendar so that there can be a speedy final adjudication when the court convenes for the Fall term on the Fourth Monday in August.

Applications for the registration of automobiles under the new law entailing $5 tax on each machine are pouring in to the Secretary. July 1 there had been 274 licenses issued bringing in $1.370 tax, but the past two days nearly as many again have been issued and still they come. No one seems to have any idea just how many machines there are in the State. The new act applies to all except New Hanover county. John F. Schenck, of Lawnsdale, Cleveland county, in applying for a license, wrote the secretary of state that there would be a case sent up to the Supreme Court testing the constitutionality of the act in that one county, New Hanover, was exampted by the Legislature. He expressed the hope that his $5 would be returned by the State when the unconstitutionality is established.

A charter is granted for the Auto Transfer Co., North Wilkesboro, capital $100,000 by H. W. Horton and others for dealing in motor cars and doing a passenger and freight business.

The Merchants' Bank of Raleigh began a National banking business today after three months operation as a State bank.

Mayor J. S. Wynne has withdrawn his objection to Captain Frank Winchester and his wife, of the American Salvation Army, preaching and collecting money on the streets. This is the result of an investigatica of these people and their methods by an aldermanic committee. They were arrested for preaching in defiance of the Mayor's orders some days ago.

The Corporation Commission is just now deep in the new duty of assessing corporations for taxation, a work that was transferred from the State Auditor to the Corporation Commission by the last Legislature. It looks now like it will take all of July and a part of August to complete this work, and it is understood that very considerable advances are being made in assessments of many corporations as compared with assessments in force heretofore. Also that the aggregate of the corporation taxables will show a decided advance over the assessments in previous years. It will be some weeks yet before the corporations will be notified of the assessments made against them on the basis of reports filed.

GOV. BROWN'S FIRST MESSAGE.

Corporations Must Obey Law—Better Bank Inspection.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Atlanta, July 1.—Gov. Jos. M. Brown's first message was sent to the Legislature today. He approved an inheritance tax. Regarding corporations he pledged that they should be made to obey the law in letter and in spirit the same as individuals. He advocated that public utility corporations should remain under municipal control solely.

He recommended the establishment of a Department of Labor, the State Commissioner of Labor to act as mediator in disputes between capital and labor.

The railroads were the subject of several direct and indirect recommendations. These included legislation to enable shippers to obtain prompt court redress for overcharges and settlement of claims, authority for the Railroad Commission to confer with railroad officials over double-tracking of main lines and the reduction of the State Railroad Commission from five to three members.

It was recommended that the State bank inspection be made as strict as Federal inspection of National banks.

INJURIES PROVED FATAL.

Roanoke Man Killed by Stone Intended for Other People—Arrest.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Roanoke, Va., July 1.—Henry Williams Terry, of Montreal, Canada, died here last night in a hospital from a wound he received on the head last Sunday when he was struck above the eye with a stone thrown by Claude W. Minor, a young white man. Terry had gone by the name of Harry Thompson since coming here some months ago and his true identity was not revealed until today. Minor, who claims he threw the stone at another man, is in jail charged with murder.

Children as well as grown folks enjoy the trip to the pier. Boat leaves at 5:15 P. M.

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The Morning Star.

Saturday, July 3, 1909.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., July 3, 1909.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Friday, July 2nd:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 78 degrees; 8 P. M. 80 degrees; maximum 88 degrees; minimum 75 degrees; mean 82 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .01; for the month, .02 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Thursday 8.3 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday; moderate variable winds.

Port Calendar—July 3.

Sun Rises.....4:47 A. M.
Sun Sets.....7:20 P. M.
Day's Length.....14 hrs. 37 min.
High water at Southport 7:33 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 10:33 A. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

July 12th—Guess What.
J. W. Fleet Co.—Stein Bloch.
Ed. N. Penny—Dissolution Sale.
American National Bank—Assets.
Sheriff Cowan—Notice to Deputies.
Hopkins & Davis—Something Good to Eat.
A. C. L. & S. A. L.—Freight Warehouses Closed.

Business Locals.

Lost—Leather Fob.
S. J. Davis—Milch Cows.
For Sale—Lumber Business.
Roger Moore's Sons & Co.—Laths.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. C. M. J. Stephens, of High Point, was here yesterday.

—Mr. W. L. Field, of Laurinburg, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

—Mrs. F. M. Long and daughter, of Evergreen, N. C., were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Colonel William L. DeRosset and daughter, Miss Anita DeRosset, leave today for Hillsboro, N. C., where they expect to spend some time.

—Mr. E. Strudwick Nash and family, of Charleston, S. C., arrived yesterday and will spend some time at Wrightsville Beach, Mr. Nash returning, however, next week.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Patrick and children, of Clinton, are guests at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, for a few days, arriving yesterday afternoon.

—Mrs. Lem Dure and two children, of Macon, Ga., arrived yesterday afternoon to spend some time at Wrightsville Beach, guests at the Seashore Hotel.

—Mr. James Parham, telegraph editor of the Raleigh Evening Times, who was formerly associated with the Messenger in this city in the same capacity, is spending a few days in the city and at the beach visiting friends.

—Mr. F. A. Fetter has returned from Buffalo, N. Y., where he attended the annual convention of the American Freight Agents' Association. Mrs. Fetter, who accompanied him, stopped by Littleton to visit relatives but will return tomorrow with other members of the family.

—Among the arrivals at the Seashore Hotel yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mimnaugh, Misses Ethel, Lucile and Lela May and Master J. L. Mimnaugh, Jr., and Miss Crawford, of Columbia. Mr. Mimnaugh is a prominent merchant of the Palmetto capital. He will return home Monday or Tuesday, but his family will remain here for two weeks.

Independence Celebration.

Monday at 3 P. M. at Trinity M. E Church, colored, corner Brunswick and Seventh streets, there will be a big independence celebration and corner stone laying by the colored people of the city. The corner stone sermon will be preached by Rev. G. D. Carnes, D. D., of St. Stephen's A. M. E. Church, and at 4:30 P. M. the colored Pythians will lay the stone. At 8 P. M. Rev. W. E. Hocutt, pastor of Bladen Street M. E. Church, white, has consented to deliver an address to the colored people. Refreshments will be served and there will be other interesting features. This church is making strenuous effort to remodel the house of worship and Rev. Geo. B. McLean, the pastor, cordially invited the public to attend these exercises.

—Justice George Harriss yesterday afternoon heard a trivial civil action entitled W. P. Oldham against E. A. Black and the amount involved was only 45 cents, which the plaintiff alleged was due him for the use of a chicken coop which he let the defendant have to bring some chickens to market. The action was dismissed at the cost of the plaintiff. The case was started in Justice Bornemann's court, but was removed to Justice Harriss.

—Members of the Junior League of Trinity church assembled in high carnival last evening on the church lot, corner of Market and Ninth streets, and entertained most pleasingly a large party of members of the church and friends. Quite a few members of the League masqueraded as Indians, Puritans, Japs, Chinese, fairies and slowns in honor of the glorious Fourth and the lawn was decorated very prettily in Japanese lanterns.

Fourth of July oxfords at Peterson & Rulfs. **

Exposure to Wet,

dampness and cold, results in a sudden chill. Take a teaspoonful of Perry Davis' Painkiller, in half a glass of warm water or milk. The whole system will be heated and the danger of cold avoided. Two million bottles are sold every year and this after seventy years in use. There is the new and economical 35 cent size and also the 50 cent size.*

LOCAL LODGE OF PERFECTION

Charlotte Masons Confer Masonic Degrees From 4th to 14th Upon Local Class—Institution Ceremonies Last Night.

In the Masonic Temple last night Johnson Blakeley Lodge of Perfection, No. 5, was instituted by a delegation from Charlotte lodge, No. 2, following the conferring of the degrees from the 4th to 14th, which was in progress practically all day.

The new lodge starts off with a large and enthusiastic membership. The following were elected officers and duly installed:

Venerable Master—James C. Munds.
Senior Warden—H. G. Smallbones.
Junior Warden—E. O. Penny.
Orator—Graham Kenan.
Almoner—W. B. McKoy.
Secretary—A. S. Holden.
Treasurer—E. E. David.
Master of Ceremonies—Eric Norden.
Captain of Host—I. W. Solomon.
Expert—B. A. Merritt.
Assistant Expert—E. W. Haselden.

A large delegation from the Charlotte lodge arrived in the city Thursday afternoon and early yesterday morning to confer the degrees on the local candidates and institute the lodge last night. The work of conferring the degrees began at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning and continued until 8 o'clock last night with two intermissions of a half hour each for dinner and supper, which were served in elegant style in the ball room on the fifth floor of the Temple by Mrs. Munds. The Charlotte delegation worked hard and with the utmost precision. The special feature was the music by the Scottish Choir of Charlotte, composed of Prof. R. L. Keesler, director and organist; Moody Usher, first tenor; Harvey Overcash, second tenor; W. W. Graham, first bass, and Cecil Butt, second bass, and the musicians won the highest praise of all who heard them. One of the prominent local Masons said that he did not know that there was such a quartette in the State and he has persuaded the musicians to remain in the city for several days in order that they may be heard and appreciated by a larger number of Wilmington people. A number of other members of the delegation will spend several days here and at the beach before returning to the Queen City.

The Charlotte Masons brought nearly a car load of paraphernalia with them for the ceremonies. The paraphernalia is not only expensive but very beautiful and was a revelation to the local Masons.

The lodge was named in honor of Johnson Blakeley, who was a noted naval officer of 1812 and a member of St. John's lodge of Masons, the oldest in the State.

Those who took the degrees and were enrolled as members of the lodge instituted last night are: Messrs. E. E. David, B. A. Merritt, I. W. Solomon, W. R. Nye, C. B. Newcomb, Graham Kenan, P. B. Bell, A. S. Holden, J. W. Stormfeltz, H. C. Bear, E. O. Penny, J. G. Young, B. H. Stephens, W. B. McKoy, E. W. Haselden, Eric Norden, H. G. Smallbones and H. H. Ford, of Wilmington; Charles Withington, of Newbern; R. E. Lee and A. P. Caldwell, of Lumberton.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian church, at the morning service tomorrow will preach a sermon appropriate to the Fourth of July.

—As usual on holidays the freight car on the suburban line will make only one trip on Monday, July 5th. The trip will be made at 10 A. M. The freight depot will be open from 8 to 10 A. M.

—Mr. Silas Sheetz, of Fayetteville, has accepted a position with the Stieff Piano Company in this city and will become associated with the local branch next Monday. He is a clever young man and will make many friends in the city.

—A baseball team from the city will play a game at Boardman next Monday with a team at that place. The local aggregation will be composed of Messrs. W. L. and L. King, Greene, Terry, Emerson, Schulken, Hines and Bergen.

—Rev. J. H. Foster, D. D., of Anniston, Ala., will occupy the pulpit of the First Baptist Church tomorrow at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. The Lord's Supper will be celebrated at the morning service. Seats free. Public cordially invited.

—Deputy Sheriff Howe yesterday afternoon arrested Tenah Park, colored, for assault and battery upon Thomas Brown, colored. The woman was carried before Justice Harriss and gave $50 bond for her appearance at trial at 10 o'clock this morning.

—The revival at Brooklyn Baptist church is being well attended at each service and Rev. T. W. Chambliss preached a strong sermon last evening. A special service will be held at the church this afternoon at 4 o'clock and the public is invited to attend.

—A deed was filed for record yesterday transferring from the Wrightsville Beach and Suburban Development Company to Mrs. Kate C. Bonitz, a lot on Latimer street, Wrightsville Beach, together with the building and household furniture; consideration $975.

—On account of legal holiday the freight warehouses of the Seaboard Air Line and Atlantic Coast Line in this city will be closed Monday except from 8 to 10 o'clock for the delivery of perishable freight. The banks of the Wilmington Clearing House Association will transact no business during the day.

Pale Delicate Women and Girls.

The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out malaria and builds up the system. For grown people and children, 50c.

Notice.

On Monday, July 5th, the Suburban freight car will only make the 10 o'clock A. M. trip. Freight depot open from 8 to 10 A. M. **

SENSATIONAL DISCOVERY

Bodies of Five Infants, Four White and One Colored, Found Buried on Point Peter—Arrested on Suspicion.

The bodies of five infants, four whites and one colored, were found buried on Point Peter, between the Cape Fear and Northeast rivers, yesterday morning, being unearthed by Patrolman Leon George and Mr. Jas. H. Horton, the latter an employe of the Seaboard Air Line. The finding of the bodies created quite a sensation in police circles and several officers were busy all day trying to find evidence that would throw some light on the identity of the parents of the children and the person or persons responsible for their burial without the proper authority.

While digging fish bait on Point Peter Thursday afternoon Mr. James H. Horton, uncovered the dress of an infant. It occurred to Mr. Horton as being somewhat strange that a child would be buried there and he decided to communicate his information to Patrolman Leon George and left word at the officer's house that he desired to see him yesterday. Mr. George was informed of the find yesterday morning and in company with Mr. Horton went to the scene, which is along the railroad track near the Yadkin Valley terminal. After disinterring the body they noticed that within a radius of a few yards the ground had been loosened during the past few weeks, and continued their digging with the result that the bodies of four white infants and one colored were found. Three of the bodies were badly decomposed, only fragments of flesh being attached to the skeletons. One of these was buried in a shoe box and the other two were not protected in any way. Two bodies were found in a coffin, wrapped in separate clothes and were evidently twins. Dr. C. D Bell, the county coroner, who was called to the scene shortly after the discovery of the bodies, gave it as his opinion that these bodies had not been in the ground more than ten days or two weeks, judging from the state of decomposition.

J. H. Heaper, colored, employed by Alex. Davis, colored undertaker, was arrested at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon by Patrolman George on suspicion. About 5 o'clock in the morning on last Monday or Tuesday was a week ago, Patrolman George and D. W. Willis noticed the negro leave Davis' place on North Fourth street with a coffin under his arm and remarked upon the fact at the time, but dismissed the matter from their minds as they thought he was going to take a body to the station for an early train. The officers say the coffin was the same as that which was found on Point Peter with the bodies of the two infants.

Heaper was put through the "sweat box" yesterday afternoon in the Mayor's office, but his replies to the interrogations of City Attorney Herbert McClammy threw no light upon the mystery. The negro emphatically denied any knowledge of the buried infants. However, the officers were not satisfied that Heaper was telling the truth and carried him back to his cell to await further developments.

Chief of Police N. J. Williams and his assistants are making a careful investigation into the matter and it can be stated with a degree of certainty that there will be some very interesting developments within the next two or three days.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.

By Hanover Lodge No. 145, Odd Fellows Last Night.

Past Grand C. R. Spooner, assisted by Past Grands O. E. Merritt, J. A. Jordan, J. H. Williams and P. H. Murphy, installed the following officers of Hanover Lodge No. 145, Odd Fellows, last night: E. Rivenbark, sitting past grand; R. A. Brown, noble grand; J. W. Overby, vice grand; John E. Wood, recording secretary; E. S. Hancock, financial secretary; W. H. Howell, treasurer; R. F. Brown, outside guard; F. L. Walker, inside guard; Z. N. Walton, right supporter to noble grand; P. L. Page, left supporter to noble grand; O. H. Adams, right supporter to vice grand; J. C. Wallace, left supporter to vice grand; J. A. Jordan, warden; J. H. Williams, conductor; L. G. Bennett, right scene supporter; Wm. Ezzell, left scene supporter; P. A. Bounds, chaplain; B. G. Biggs, organist; S. G. Hall, J. W. Overby and P. A. Bounds, trustees.

OFF FOR ANNUAL ENCAMPMENT.

Members of Boys' Brigade Left Yesterday Afternoon for Camp Harper.

Under command of Col. Walker Taylor about 30 members of the First Battalion, North Carolina Boys' Brigade of America, left on the steamer Wilmington at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon for Southport, where the 13th annual encampment was formally begun late in the afternoon. At Carolina Beach landing the members of the brigade were transferred to the steamer Southport and the remainder of the trip was made on that boat. An advance detail of ten, in charge of Lieut. James Price, went down to Southport a few days ago to get everything in readiness for the encampment.

A number of other members will leave today and tomorrow and it is expected that there will be at least 70 in camp by Monday. The boys will be in camp until Saturday afternoon, July 10th, when they will return to Wilmington.

Produces Strength for Work—Horsford's Acid Phosphate

It perfects digestion, calms and strengthens the nerves and builds up the general health.

July 5th at the Beach.

Spend July 5th at the Beach. Trains every half hour. Yacht races at 9 A. M. Athletic events at Lumina. Music all day. Souvenir dance. **

White canvas oxfords for the glorious Fourth at Peterson & Rulfs. **

Continues 1 More Week

The Big Mill End Sale Sweeps Resistlessly Onward!

The magnetism of the myriad mighty bargains of the Mill End Sale is daily crowding the store with shoppers from far and near. And little wonder!

In this Sale your money goes as far as it possibly will in the purchase of good, reliable merchandise. The buying power of your dollars is developed to fullest possible extent. Every cent you spend here and now brings you a measure of value heaped-up, pressed down and running over.

Strong claims, say you? Yes—yet not strong enough. A visit to the store will convince you that we have rather under-stated than exaggerated the immensity of the stocks—the high-quality character of the goods and the wonderful lowness of the prices. Worth investigating, isn't it?

Ladies fine Gause Vest. Mill End Sale.....4c
Ladies 25c White Lawn apron. Mill End Sale ..15c
30 inch fine Curtain Madras. Mill End Sale 7 1-2c
Ladies White Wash Belts. Mill End Sale 5c
Ladies 50c White Muslin Underskirts. Mill End Sale 25c
Children White Muslin Drawers. Mill End Sale..10c
50c Foulard Silks. Mill End Sale 27 1-2c

$1.00 one yard wide Black Taffeta Silk. Mill End Sale 75c
36 inch Etomine 12 1-2c values. Mill End Sale.....5c
$1.00, $1.25 Untrimmed Hat. Mill End Sale 25c
Men's $2.00 Pants. Mill End Sale $1.39
25c Table Oil Cloths. Mill End Sale 15c
60 inch Table Linen 40c value. Mill End Sale....27c
64 inch Table Linen 50c value. Mill End Sale....39c

Don't forget the Special 30 Minutes Sale Each Day Morning and Evening.

FRUIT JARS.
1 Pint Jar 49c
1 Quart Jar 60c
2 Quart Jar 80c

J. H. Rehder & Co.
THE POPULAR DEPARTMENT STORE
THE FIRM THAT PAYS YOUR CAR FARE.

MOSQUITOES CANOPIES.
$1.25 to $3.00.
All Sizes.

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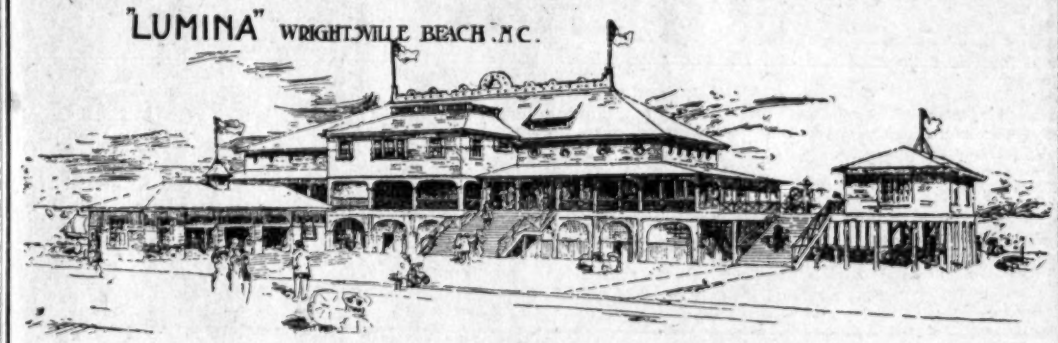

July 5

At Wrightsville Beach

Yacht Races at 9 A. M.

Athletic Events at Lumina Begin at 3:00 P. M. Following Is List of Events:

		PRIZES
1.	Canoe Race—1 mile course through breakers and back again	Loving Cup
2.	Potato Race—Boys under 16 years	Tickets
3.	Potato Race—All over 16 years	"
4.	Flag Race—Girls under 10 years	Souvenirs
5.	Flag Race—Girls over 10 years	"
6.	Sack Race—Boys under 16 years	Tickets
7.	Sack Race—All over 16 years	"
8.	100 yard dash—Free for all	"
9.	Three legged Race—Boys under 16 years	"
10.	Three legged Race—All over 16 years	"
11.	Tug of War	"
12.	Swimming Race—One-half mile through surf and back again	Loving Cup

Events at Lumina under management of Mr. Edwin Kettle, Secretary of Y. M. C. A. Those wishing to enter may apply at office of Tidewater Power Company or at Y. M. C. A.

Souvenir Dance at Lumina at Night

Excursions Coming Here.

Two excursions will be run to this city next week, one from Hope Mills and Roslin on Monday, and the already announced Seaboard Sunday school excursion from Hamlet and intermediate points on Friday. The former will be conducted over the Virginia & Carolina Southern Railway to Lumberton, and thence to Wilmington over the Seaboard. Both are one-day trips and it is expected that they will bring large crowds.

The Lincoln Lithia Inn, Lincolnton, N. C., now open to the public. Best Lithia Water. First-class accommodations. Ask Holmes Grocery Co., about the water. je 12-tu-thu-st-13t

Takes Over Brokerage Business.

O. H. Wright & Company, of this city, has purchased the brokerage business of Moore & Wright, Jacksonville, Fla. Mr. O. H. Wright who went to Jacksonville some months ago to engage in business, will be in active charge of the Jacksonville end, while the Wilmington business will continue in charge of the junior member, Mr. R. A. Wright. With affiliating offices in Jacksonville and Wilmington, this firm should be able to materially increase its business at both points.

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At The Bijou Today.

"Profitable Marriage," a subject that appeals to all, and "An Obliging Friend," are the titles of two interesting pictures which will be the feature of the bill at the Bijou today. Both are clever and interesting and will amuse and entertain the many patrons of the theatre.

Tortured on a Horse.

"For ten years I couldn't ride a horse without being in torture from piles," writes L. S. Napier, of Rugless, Ky., "when all doctors and other remedies failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me." Infallible for Piles, Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Boils, Fever Sores, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Corns. 25c. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

CONTRACT SYSTEM ABOLISHED

Street Cleaning and Garbage Disposal to be Handled Through Regular DePartments—Board in Special Session.

At a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen last night in the Mayor's office at the City Hall, after some consideration of the subject, it was decided to reject all bids for the street cleaning and removal of garbage and do this work in the future through the regular departments of the city government; the Board approved in the main the plans for the improvements to the Academy of Music by Lessee Schloss and several other matters of minor importance were taken up and disposed, adjournment being to Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock on account of the Fourth of July holiday.

The Board met at 8 o'clock, Mayor MacRae presiding and Aldermen Karr, West, Hinton, Bonitz, Ellis, Hall, Yopp, Fales and Willard in attendance. Alderman Stone was unable to be present on account of a sick child at the Tarrymoore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach. There were also present Dr. Chas. T. Harper, ex-Mayor A. G. Ricaud, City Attorney McClammy, Messrs. J. M. Woolard, H. E. Bonitz, City Clerk and Treasurer Fowler and Superintendent of Streets R. O. Grant.

The Streets and Wharves Committee through Chairman F. W. Bonitz reported that the bids for street cleaning and removal of garbage were so widely at variance and some of them were so irregular, that the committee would recommend that all bids be rejected and that this work be done by the regularly organized department of the city for this work. Ex-Mayor A. G. Ricaud, attorney for one of the bidders, asked to be heard on the question and quoted from the charter a section and an act amendatory thereto, requiring this work to be done by contract, counseling careful consideration before action. City Attorney McClammy came in while Mr. Ricaud was speaking and upon the latter's conclusion, he was asked for an opinion as to whether or not the city could do this work legally. He said that it was his judgment that technically the charter requires advertisement for bids but he did not think the section referred to was mandatory but rather directory. He admitted, however, that the act was a little obscure and it might require a judgment in court to define it clearly, but he anticipated no trouble when the Board was exercising its discretion in a governmental capacity. Mr. Ricaud was heard in reply, Mr. McClammy made a rejoinder and Alderman Bonitz spoke at some length giving his view of the question. He asked the Board to take action on the committee's report. Mr. Hall also spoke, expressing the belief that the city could do the work cheaper than an individual. Mayor MacRae said he did not think that street cleaning was street improvement and it was simply a question of which method was cheapest. Alderman West pressed Mr. Bonitz to know which method was the cheaper. Mr. Bonitz said he had the figures in his office, but he figured that the city would save from $2,000 to $3,000 per year, though it was very difficult to draw a comparison where there was an interchange of work between departments. The question was then called on the question of rejecting all bids for the street cleaning and doing this work under the regular department of the city. The motion was carried by a viva voce vote.

Chairman Ellis then reported for the Sanitary Committee, recommending that all bids for removing garbage be rejected and that this work be placed under the Streets and Wharves Department. Mr. Karr made a minority report, recommending that the work be continued by contract and that as the lowest bidders, Messrs. Woolard & Furlong be awarded the contract. Mr. Yopp spoke in favor of and Mr. Fales against the contract system. The question was then called and the majority report against the contract system was adopted, the work to be done in future through the Streets and Wharves Department.

The bidders for the street cleaning were R. A. Burnett Co., $19,500 per year; City Livery Co., $15,750, and Furlong & Co., $15,000; for the garbage, J. M. Woolard, $6,990 per year; W. F. Alexander, $7,250, Furlong & Co., $6,650. The necessary changes in the budget were made to carry out the action of the Board with the abandonment of the contract system.

Architect H. E. Bonitz appeared before the Board, submitting the plans for remodeling the Academy of Music and suggesting a main entrance through the City Hall corrtdor. The plans were approved excepi as to the entrance, which will be considered further Tuesday night at the regular meeting.

It was resolved that the next meeting be held Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Upon motion of Alderman Hinton an appropriation of $300 was made for the purchase of a horse and buggy for the Mayor, the same to be maintained at the expense of the city.

LIGHTS ARE DELAYED.

Washington Board Decides Against Local Navigation Board.

Capt. Johnson, of the buoy tender Cypress, which made a visit to this port this week, stated that from the recent action of the Navigation Board in Washington that the lights recommended for the Cape Fear river will not be placed for some months. He also stated that the Board has absolutely declined to even consider the placing of settling gas lights on the Cape Fear, but will probably place some less expensive ones.

Capt. Johnson met with the local Board of Navigation and Pilotage at a meeting several months ago, when the matter in regard to the range lights was discussed and acted upon. It was later recommended. There has been some delay since this action and the Wilmington Harbor Masters, Mates and Pilots made a request of the Department for a statement in regard to the lights, but there has probably been no action taken.

CUSTOMS RECEIPTS INCREASE

Collections Show Large Increase of 45 Per Cent. Over Last Year—Foreign Exports More Than Twenty Millions.

The port of Wilmington makes an excellent showing in the annual report of Collector of Customs B. F. Keith for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1909, which carries the phenomenal increase of 45 per cent. in the dutiable importations over the previous year, with export values increased over twenty millions and the general expense of maintaining the local customs house considerably reduced.

This is probably the best showing in the history of the local custom house, as to the collections on dutiable cargoes to this port, which amount to $33,093.43 against $22,686 for the fiscal year of 1907-8, and this unprecedented record is made notwithstanding the panicky conditions of the country and with virtually no storage facilities, which naturally carries a good deal of business away from this port.

The large export values of $20,498,726.00 is a salient feature of the annual statement and is noted with much interest. These values are principally made up from the exports of cotton to foreign markets, which constitutes in a degree the export business of the local port. During the past year 52 vessels have sailed from Wilmington to foreign markets.

Sixty-six entries are recorded from domestic ports whfle 71 have cleared for domestic ports. The entries of merchandise are 84. The expense of the local office, including salaries an incidentals aggregate $7,518.32, which figure estfmated on the collections shows that the expense to the government is about 22 cents on the dollar as compared with nearly 30 cents on the dollar for the previous year.

Collector Keith is exceedingly pleased with the fine showing this year as will be the citizens of Wilmington at large. The cargoes of dutiable importations were noticeably as to burlaps which were entered at the port of New York for the Willard Bag Factory and credited to the customs house here, which made the actual collections. This local industrial enterprise received 19 consignments of burlaps during the past year from foreign markets which produced a revenue for this port of over $14,?00. Other dutiable cargoes were sulphate of amonia for the fertilizer factories and two cargoes of molasses for C. C. Covington & Co.

Dr. Kerr Goes to Clinton.

The Clinton News-Dispatch says: "Dr. John D. Kerr, who holds a position with the James Walker Memorial Hospital of Wilmington, has decided to locate in Clinton August 1st. Our people will be delighted to have Dr. Kerr with us, he is a Clinton boy and his home people will give him a hearty welcome."

TO VISIT ITALIAN COLONY

Party of Prominent New York Italians and Local Delegation Will be Guest of The C., T. D. Co. Today.

The Carolina Trucking Development Company will be host today to a party of distinguished Italians of New York City and a delegation of citizens from the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce for a visit and inspection of the Italian colony at St. Helena and the colony at Castle Haynes. The members of the New York party are now on their way to St. Helena and will arrive there some time this morning, being met by the Wilmington citizens, who will go up on a special train leaving the union station at 7:45 o'clock.

The purpose of the visit of the Italians is to make a thorough investigation of the colonization project of the Carolina Trucking Development Company. It will be recalled that a few weeks ago a party of prominent Italian editors and writers of New York visited the colony as representatives of Italian commercial organizations of the metropolis. They made a report of their investigations here and the coming of the second delegation is of much significance, demonstrating that the prominent and influential Italians of New York are very much interested in the project. The party en route to St. Helena is composed of the president of the Italian Chamber of Commerce of New York City and other Italians of note, among whom are several writers of wide reputation.

The special train from Wilmington will arrive at St. Helena at 8:30 o'clock. President J. A. Taylor, of the Chamber of Commerce, yesterday morning appointed the following citizens to officially represent the organization in welcoming the visitors to this section: Mayor Walter G. MacRae, President T. M. Emerson, of the Atlantic Coast Line; President James H. Chadbourn, of the North Carolina Waterways Association; Mr. M. J. Heyer, chairman of the Board of Audit and Finance; Colonel Walker Taylor and Messrs. D. L. Gore, U. M. Robinson, H. C. McQueen and William Gilchrist. President Taylor will also be a member of the delegation. After formally welcoming the New York visitors a general inspection of the colony, covering about two miles, will be made. Conveyances will be on hand and those who do not care to walk can ride. The special train will leave St. Helena at 11 o'clock for Castle Haynes, where the colony there will be inspected. It is expected that the tour of inspection will be completed by 12:30 o'clock, when the party will take automobiles at the superintendent's residence and come to Wilmington, arriving here between 1 and 2 o'clock.

SENT UP TO HIGHER COURT

Boy Mitchell, Colored, Given Preliminary Hearing Before Recorder For Criminal Assault on White Girl—Other Cases.

Joe Doe, the half-witted negro youth arrested Thursday night on the charge of attempted criminal assault upon Thelma Mote, the six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Mote, of 407 Smith street, was given a preliminary hearing in the Recorder's court yesterday morning, at the conclusion of which Recorder Furlong remanded him to jail to await the next term of Superior Court.

It was evident that the negro is mentally unbalanced and for that reason there does not seem to be much feeling against him. The evidence against him was damaging, the girl testifying that the negro grabbed hold of and choked her and attempted to assault her. The father testified that when he got to the girl the finger prints of the negro were plainly visible on her throat. He also gave other testimony tending to show that the negro made the attempt.

The case was set for hearing before Justice Sykes, but the Justice had another engagement yesterday morning and sent the case on to the Recorder for investigation.

As an evidence of the desperate battle he had with Officer Howe Thursday afternoon, the negro's clothing was torn almost from him.

Frank Kerr, a white man, charged with refusing to assist Officer Howe in making the arrest, was found guilty and sentenced to pay a fine of $10 and costs. Dr. C. D. Bell, Kerr's physician, testified that Kerr was not physically able to engage in a struggle like that which took place in Brooklyn and this fact caused the Recorder to be more lenient with him. The case against Ben Kuhlken, charged with the same offense, was continued until next Tuesday at the request of the defendant. Both cases came up for hearing before Justice Harriss, who issued the warrants, but he sent them on to the Recorder. Herbert McClammy, Esq., appeared for the prosecution in the case against Kerr.

G. W. Stevens, colored, was convicted of the charge of breaking into a shanty car of the Atlantic Coast Line and stealing a pistol, a pair of shoes and a pair of overalls, the property of B. D. Farmer, a white man, and was given 12 months on the county roads.

A case against John Hollingsworth, a negro youth about 10 years old, charged with stealing solder and brass from the Tidewater Power Company, was continued until today at the request of MacRae & MacRae, counsel for the power company.

Nol pros with leave was taken in the case against Boy Mitchell, colored, charged with selling whiskey to John Moore, a white man, who, the officers are informed, has left the city for parts unknown.

VETERINARY SURGEONS HERE

Eighth Annual Convention Being Held at Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach—Applicants for License Examined Yesterday.

The eighth annual convention of the North Carolina Veterinary Medical Association is being held at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, with a large number of prominent veterinary surgeons of the State in attendance.

Yesterday was given over to the examination of applicants for license to practice veterinary medicine in the State by the Board of Examiners, of which Dr. T. B. Carroll, of this city, is chairman. Dr. Tait Butler, of Raleigh, is secretary, but was not able to be present and in his absence the secretary's place was filled by Dr. G. A. Roberts, of Raleigh, who is president of the association. Three candidates took the examination.

The first business session was held last night at 7:30 o'clock in the ball room of the Seashore Hotel. Dr. Roberts, the president, read his annual report, reviewing the work for the year, and also a very valuable paper on some new discoveries in the science in this country, notably "Mycotic Fever" and the recent outbreak of foot and mouth diseases in cattle in this country, giving its origin, etc. The annual election of officers followed and resulted as follows:

President—Dr. G. A. Roberts, Raleigh.

First Vice President—Dr. T. B. Carroll, Wilmington.

Second Vice President—F. S. Charter, Greensboro.

Secretary and Treasurer—Dr. Adam Fisher, Charlotte.

It was announced at the meeting that the following had successfully passed the State Board of Examiners: L. G. Herring, Goldsboro; A. C. Jones, Salisbury, and Fred Misenheimer, Charlotte. The State Board elected the officers with Dr. Fisher as president and Dr. Roberts, secretary.

At the sessions today beginning at 9 o'clock the sessions will be resumed with the reading of a number of valuable papers of special interest to the profession.

Those in attendance are: Dr. T. B. Carroll, of Wilmington, president of the Board of Examiners; Dr. Adama Fisher, of Charlotte, secretary and treasurer of the association; Dr. Watt Ashcraft, of Monroe; Dr. Roy Wolfe, of Hickory; Dr. Fred Misenheimer, of Charlotte; Dr. W. C. Chrisman, of Raleigh; Dr. W. J. Hartman, of Raleigh; Dr. L. J. Herring, of Goldsboro; Dr. G. A. Roberts, of Raleigh, president of the association; Dr. J. W. Merritt, of Wilson; Dr. L. C. Charter and G. E. Fetter, of Greensboro; Dr. A. C. Jones, of High Point; Dr. C. A. Edmunds, of Lumberton, and Dr. J. W. Petty, of Durham.

Fourth of July oxfords at Peterson & Rulfs. **

DISSOLUTION SALE

Saturday, July 3rd—Wednesday, July 14th

On account of the dissolution of the old firm of W. J. Penny & Co., Ed. N. Penny will put on a gigantic dissolution sale commencing today at 9:00 A. M. Everything in the store will be sacrificed to meet the necessity. Nothing reserved. Prices lower than low as the following will show:

Men's Suits

At $6.89 We will sell all $10.00 Suits.
At $9.89 We will sell all $15.00 Suits.
At $12.89 We will sell all $18.00 Suits.
At $14.89 We will sell all $20.00 Suits.

Men's Pants

At 78c we'll sell all $1.00 Pants.
At 98c we'll sell all $1.50 Pants.
At $1.39 we'll sell all $2.00 Pants.
At $1.99 we'll sell all $3.00 Pants.
At $2.69 we'll sell all $4.00 Pants.
At $3.29 we'll sell all $5.00 Pants.

Hats and Caps at Proportionate Prices.

SUMMER UNDERWEAR

18c will buy all 25c kind. | 33c will buy all 50c kind.

MEN'S SHIRTS
Fourth of July Special Prices.

MEN'S and WOMEN'S SHOES
At 1-3 Off the Regular Price.

Sale opens today for the special benefit of 4th of July buyers. To them we offer an extraordinary opportunity to buy cheaply what they need for their outing.

Our Guarantee Is Satisfaction or Money Refunded.

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4th OF July Sale

Big Explosion in Clothing

We will put on sale

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—The houses of Mount Airy are being numbered and the streets marked in preparation for free mail delivery, soon to go in effect.

—Rocky Mount will invite the State Firemen's tournament there next year, and will subscribe money for the event. Charlotte and Newbern are also bidders.

—Weldon, July 1.—A colored woman, Della Peters, died from wounds inflicted by a Seaboard Air Line train last Thursday, near Thelma. The woman had evidently fallen asleep on the track. One foot was cut off and the other so badly crushed that amputation was necessary. She died under the operation.

—Winston-Salem, July 1.—During June stamp sales here amounted to $258,474.64, meaning the shipment of 4,307,910 pounds of manufactured tobacco. This was an increase of nearly two million pounds over June, 1908. The shipments the past six months aggregated 19,743,775 pounds. It brought nearly $9,000,000.

—Lumberton Robesonian: Mrs. Wright Leggett, who lives near Fairmont, underwent an operation at the Thompson Hospital yesterday, her left leg being amputated above the knee. The operation, which was made necessary by a bad sore, was performed by Dr. J. P. Brown, of Fairmont, who brought Mrs. Leggett to the hospital, assisted by Dr. N. A. Thompson.

—Fayetteville Index: Mr. W. M. Hill, of the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, arrived in Fayetteville Monday night and began yesterday a test of the meridian line. He has a little tent pitched on St. James Square, where the meridian line is marked. It will probably require three or four days to complete the test, and practical surveyors and civil engineers would find a visit to the scene interesting.

—Mount Olive Tribune: A big good roads meeting will be held in Goldsboro next Monday, July 5, at 11 A. M., for the purpose of discussing the question of better roads for Wayne county. The meeting will be held at the instance of the Goldsboro Chamber of Commerce, and every farmer in the county is urged to attend and lend his aid to a definite movement for the improvement of the public highways of the county.

—Mount Olive Tribune: Rev. Peter McIntyre, pastor of the Presbyterian church, went up to Goldsboro Tuesday to attend the annual meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Goldsboro Hospital, which was also in the nature of a citizens' memorial meeting to the late Rev. F. W. Farries, founder of the institution. Rev. Mr. McIntyre was present, by invitation of the board, and delivered a touching address on the life of Rev. Mr. Farries.

—Charlotte Chronicle: The near-beer saloon is a thing of the past. Charlotte's board of Aldermen has placed a tax upon the near-beer saloons that has proved prohibitory and up to noon today not one had applied for license to operate a mimic saloon under the revised tax rate which requires a $1,000 tax, while midnight last night was the last moment that these places could operate without "ponying up" the required amount under the new law.

—Pender Chronicle: The Band of Wallace will give a picnic at East Wallace on Tuesday, July 6th, at W. B. Brice's oak grove, two miles out on Chinquepin road. A nice band stand and dancing platform is being erected for the occasion, and everybody is invited to come and bring their baskets and enjoy the day. There will be served on the grounds ice cream, cold drinks, the proceeds of which will go to the benefit of the band. Music will be furnished by the Wallace Brass Band and ye old time fiddlers.

—Durham, July 1.—E. A. Carrington, a Durham man who was divorced from his wife last year upon her complaint of non-support and abandonment, is working through his attorney, Mr. R. O. Everett for a re-marriage and the former wife appears to be willing. They were married seven years ago when she was Miss Mollie Young, and after he became worthless she refused to put up with him. After securing the divorce last year, Carrington picked up Mrs. Kate Jernigan, of Sampson county, who appears to have had a first husband much like Mrs. Carrington No. 1 had. They were duly wed. Recently Mrs. Carrington the first wife, wanted to re-marry her first and only husband, who also went more than crazy over her again, who actually fell in love with his wife. Mr. Everett has been the love-broker. In looking over the records, Mr. Carrington finds that his second wife's first husband is not dead, and that she did not live separate and apart from him more than three years. Therein came his cause of action. He instituted suit against her to break the chains of matrimony and indicted her for bigamy. The papers have been served today. The relatives of Mrs. Carrington No. 1 are dead opposed to any more alliances with Carrington, it appears that the first wife is going to have the second husband. She doesn't intend that another woman shall have him. The first Mrs. Carrington is a woman of exceptionally fine looks and has the finer feeling about the family life. Their one child has been a perpetual appeal to reconciliation, though there never was any doubt that she was justified in ridding herself of her husband. His second marriage appears to have taught him the difference between women and he is as crazy as the youngster taking his first fall out of the empyrean of puppy affection.

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Schedule.

On and after June 1, 1909, Steamer Wilmington will leave her wharf daily* at 9 o'clock A. M. for Carolina Beach and Southport and at 2:30 P. M. for Carolina Beach. *Sundays leave at 9:15 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. for Carolina Beach and Southport and at 7:30 P. M. for Carolina Beach.

Steamer Southport leaves Southport daily, except Sunday, at 6 A. M. and 2 P. M. Leave Wilmington at 10:15 A. M. Passengers on 2:30 boat from Wilmington and the 2 o'clock boat from Southport change at Carolina Beach for destination.

Commencing June 2, 1909, Steamer Wilmington will make daily trips to the Pier, leaving at 5:15 P. M., except Sunday. Fare 15 cents for the round trip. Freight will be taken on the 9 o'clock boat only.

Additional boat will leave Carolina Beach daily, except Sunday, at 7:15 A. M., arriving at Wilmington at 8:30 A. M.

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Schedule in Effect May 1st, 1909.

Lv. Norfolk	7:30 a.m.	7:30 p.m.
Lv. Petersburg	10:25 a.m.	10:20 p.m.
Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:30 p.m.	2:13 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a.m.	7:20 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	7:45 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	7:30 a.m.
Ar. St. Louis	7:28 p.m.	8:30 a.m.

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Schedule effective May 2nd, 1909. Subject to change without notice.

Local sleeper between Wilmington and Hamlet on 44 and 45 open for passengers at Wilmington at 9:00 P. M. connects at Hamlet with all trains North, South and West with No. 33 at Hamlet, through train for Atlanta, Birmingham and Memphis.

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Tickets for passage for all trains are sold by this Company and accepted by the passenger with the understanding that this Company will not be responsible for failure to run its trains on schedule time or for any such delays as may be incident to their operation. Care is exercised to give correct time of connecting lines but this Company is not responsible for errors or omissions.

TRAINS ARRIVE AT WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

No. 44 at 12:30 A. M. from Johnson City, Charlotte, Hamlet and points North.

No. 40 arrives 1:15 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 36 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, No. 81 from New York and Washington, and all points North and South.

TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

	No. 45.	No. 39.
Lv Wilm't'n	3:00 A.M.	3:20 P.M.
Ar Lumb'ton	5:30 A.M.	5:37 P.M.
Ar. Maxton	6:12 A.M.	6:35 P.M.
Ar. Hamlet	7:00 A.M.	7:30 P.M.
Lv. Hamlet	7:25 A.M.	8:15 P.M.
Ar. Monroe	9:25 A.M.	10:20 P.M.
Ar. Charlotte	10:25 A.M.	11:20 P.M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with Nos. 38 and 66 for all points North at Monroe with No. 59 for Atlanta and continues on through to Johnson City, arriving 8:05 P. M.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 37 for Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York, No. 32 for Portsmouth, Norfolk and No. 43 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

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Schedule in Effect May 30, 1909.

NOTICE.

The arrivals and departure are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48.	No. 42.
Lv. Wilmington	9:00 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:05 pm	9:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	1:00 pm	10:53 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount	1:35 pm	11:30 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	2:47 am
Ar. Norfolk	5:55 pm	
Ar. Petersburg	7:00 pm	4:25 am
Ar. Richmond	8:00 pm	5:10 am
Ar. Washington	11:50 pm	8:40 am
Ar. Baltimore	1:15 am	10:02 am
Ar. Philadelphia	3:45 am	12:23 pm
Ar. New York	6:30 am	2:45 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 49.
Lv. New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar. Philadelphia	11:37 am	11:48 pm
Lv. Baltimore	2:15 pm	2:46 am
Lv. Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv. Norfolk		8:25 am
Lv. Richmond	7:10 pm	8:15 am
Ar. Petersburg	7:47 pm	9:03 am
Ar. Weldon	9:35 pm	11:28 am
Ar. Rocky Mount	10:33 pm	12:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	11:14 am	1:56 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	6:30 am	3:00 pm
Ar. Wilmington	9:25 am	6:00 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.
Via Wilson.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	4:55 am	3:10 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Flor.	9:05 am	7:25 pm	3:55 am
Ar. Col'bia	12:25 pm	10:45 pm	
Ar. Chars.	1:10 pm	11:25 pm	7:00 am
Ar. Savh	6:30 pm	2:20 am	9:20 am
Ar. Jk'ville		7:15 am	1:50 pm
Ar. Tampa		7:00 pm	10:30 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:30 am
Lv. Jacksonville	8:50 am	7:45 pm
Ar. Savannah	12:55 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston	5:25 pm	5:10 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:15 pm	8:55 am
Ar. Wilmington	12:40 am	1:35 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:40 am	Ar 8:05 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	12:10 pm	Ar 4:45 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv 3:30 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

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Lv. Wilmington	3:30 pm	12:50 pm
Ar. Newbern	7:00 pm	Lv 9:30 am

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TO
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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE
In Effect June 3rd, 1909.
WEEK DAYS.

Leave Front and Princess Streets East Bound	Leave The Beach West Bound.
6:30 A. M.	6:15 A. M.
	7:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P. M.	and every half hour thereafter until 11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

Freight.
Leave 9th and Orange streets 6:00 A. M., 10:00 A. M., 4:00 P. M. and 7:00 P. M.
Freight depot open from 5:30 to 6:00 A. M., and from 8:00 A. M. until 7:00 P. M. Freight received at 9th and Orange streets only.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Front and Princess Streets East Bound.	Leave The Beach West Bound.
7:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
	9:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P M	and every half hour thereafter until 11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

Freight.
Leave 9th and Orange streets at 11:00 A. M.
Freight depot open from 10:00 to 11:00 A. M.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, July 2.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market steady 42 cents.

ROSIN—Market, steady $2.35 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm $1.60.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Firm, $1.75 per barrel for hard; $2.75 for dip, and $3.50 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year — spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin steady $2.60; tar firm $1.50; crude turpentine firm $2.00, $2.70 and $3.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	52
Rosin	154
Tar	20
Crude Turpentine	83

Receipts, same day last year 107 casks spirits turpentine; 524 barrels rosin; 14 barrels tar; 79 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady, 11 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Quiet, 11 5-8 cents.

Receipts—1 bale, same day last year 80 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, June 26th)

PEANUTS—North Carolina prime 50@55c; extra prime, 65c; fancy 70c; Virginia, prime 65@70c; extra prime 75@80c; Spanish 95@$1.00.

CORN—Firm, 98@1.00 per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Steady; hams, 15 and 16c; shoulders 13c; sides 13c.

EGGS—Good demand, 19 and 20c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Good demand at 15 and 20c small, 25 and 30c for large, grown 40 cents.

BEESWAX—Firm at 27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Good demand at 2@4c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr. flint 10c; green, 8c per pound.

IRISH POTATOES—65 to 70 cents per bushel.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 80@90c per bushel for yams.

WOOL—Burr 16c., free of burr 22c.

GEESE—Dull 50c per head.

PORK—Out of Season.

SHEEP—Old dull $1.00@$2.00 per head. Lambs, good demand $1.25@$3.00.

TURKEYS—Out of season.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 2.—A sensational advance followed the publication of the government's condition figures in the cotton market today, with all positions selling at new high records for the season and the market at one time showing a net advance of 57 to 63 points. December contracts sold at 12.18, an advance of over 1 1-2c per pound from the low level of last month and the market closed only a few points from the best under realizing with the tone firm at a net gain of 35 to 55 points.

The market had been quiet but steady preceding the report. The opening was steady at unchanged prices to an advance of 6 points and prices were pretty well maintained during the morning, although cables were no better than due, and there was nothing of consequence in the weather news to stimulate support. There did seem, however, to be great confidence in ultimate higher prices and scattered realizing sales for over the holidays were absorbed by the stronger longs.

Just before the condition figures were published. October contracts were selling at 11.60 and December at 11.64. Inside of ten minutes October had sold at 12.00 and December at 12.03. Heavy realizing sales at this level caused a brief reaction of about 10 points, but there was no sign of liquidation by the stronger bulls and the market quickly shot up again, reaching 12.14 for October and 12.18 for December in the later trading. There seemed to have been no special speculative short interest in the market, but the condition figures of 74.6 per cent. being considerably under expectations attracted fresh buying orders from all directions, and led to predictions of something little short of a panic among spinners with reference to their next season's requirements.

Local authorities say that but little confidence can be placed in the July condition figures as a guide to the ultimate yield, but it is figured by some authorities that in view of reduced acreage the condition of about 6 per cent. under the 10-year average means a crop of not over 12,000,000 bales providing future conditions are not abnormally favorable. Southern spot markets were 1-4 to 3-8c higher. Manchester reports that spinners have agreed on short time. The cotton marktes will remain closed until Tuesday morning.

Receipts at the ports today 4,490 bales against 4,669 last week and 7,391 last year; for the week 30,000 bales against 33,505 last week and 57,236 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 936 bales against 1,247 last year, and at Houston 218 bales against 1,273 last year.

Spot cotton closed steady, 50 points higher; middling uplands 12.60; middling gulf 12.85; sales 435 bales. Futures opened steady and closed firm.

Month	Open	Close
July	11.52	12.07
August	11.55	12.06
September	11.56	12.11
October	11.55	12.11
November	——	12.10
December	11.62	12.14
January	11.62	12.10
March	11.61	12.10
May	11.67	12.13

Consider yourself and family, take a trip to the pier. Boat leaves 5:15 P. M., 15 cents round trip. jul 1 tf

COTTON RECEIPTS.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 2,—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston	3,575,456
New Orleans	2,063,824
Mobile	376,435
Savannah	1,488,816
Charleston	209,609
Wilmington	410,690
Norfolk	586,394
Baltimore	98,656
New York	19,103
Boston	18,449
Newport News	10,495
Philadelphia	6,055
San Francisco	82,298
Brunswick	323,969
Port Townsend	79,612
Pensacola	155,654
Portland, Ore.	300
Port Arthur & Sabine Pass	153,010
Jacksonville	30,349
Eagle Pass, Texas	742
El Paso, Texas	1,574
Laredo, Texas	3,994
Gulfport	20,221
Georgetown	2,584
Texas City	79,758
Minor Ports	8,412
Total	9,805,754

Comparative Cotton Statement.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 2.—For the week ending July 2nd:

Net receipts at all U. S. ports during the week 27,880.

Net receipts at all U. S. ports same week last year 54,894.

Total receipts since September 1st 9,805,754.

Total receipts to same date last year 8,235,369.

Exports for the week 31,684.

Exports for same week last year 33,622.

Total exports since September 1st 8,066,170.

Total exports same date last year 7,114,792.

Stock at all United States ports 358,106.

Stock at all United States ports same time last year 253,472.

Stock at all interior towns 163,307.

Stock at all interior towns same time last year 166,272.

Stock at Liverpool 1,689,000.

Stock at Liverpool same time last year 566,000.

Stock of American afloat for Great Britain 48,000.

Stock of American afloat for Great Britain same time last year 57,000.

PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Galveston—Steady, 11 3-4; net receipts 2,098; stock 25,918.

New Orleans—Steady, 12; net receipts 936; stock 108,158.

Mobile—Firm, 11 7-8; net receipts 13; stock 8,132.

Savannah—Steady, 11 3-4; net receipts 697.

Charleston—Nominal; stock 3,846.

Wilmington—Quiet, 11; net receipts 1; stock 157.

Norfolk—Steady, 11 3-4; net receipts 307; stock 8,860.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11 1-2; stock 6,582.

New York—Steady, 12.60; stock 170,212.

Boston—Steady, 12.60; net receipts 33.

Philadelphia—Firm, 12.85; net receipts 3; stock 2,259.

Brunswick—Net receipts 365; stock 30.

Jacksonville—Net receipts 37.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 4,490; Continent 6,406; stock 358,106.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 27,880; Great Britain 5,822; France 2,900; Continent 22,700; Japan 2,162.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 9,805,754; Great Britain 3,399,412; France 1,004,021; Continent 3,434,866; Japan 199,589; Mexico 28,282.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Houston—Steady, 11 5-8; net receipts 218; stock 23,171.

Augusta—Firm, 12 1-4; net receipts 294; stock 12,866.

Memphis——Firm, 11 3-4; net receipts 29; stock 28,612.

St. Louis—Firm, 11 3-4; net receipts 158; stock 26,575.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 81; stock 15,979.

Louisville—Firm, 11 5-8; net receipts 60; stock 20.

Little Rock—Steady, 11 1-4; net receipts 7; stock 8,061.

Total today—Net receipts 817; gross receipts 2,425; shipments 5,904; sales 806; stock 115,344.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, July 2.—Cotton, closing spot moderate business done, prices five points higher. American middling fair 6.87; good middling 6.51; middling 6.33; low middling 6.15; good ordinary 5.89; ordinary 5.54. The sales of the day were 9,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 8,200 American. Receipts 4,000 bales, no American.

Futures opened quiet and steady and closed firm; July; July and August 6.41; August and September 6.36; September and October 6.34 1-2; October and Noevmber 6.31; November and December; December and January; January and February 6.28 1-2; February and March; March and April; April and May 6.29; May and June; June and July 6.29 1-2; July and August 6.28 1-2.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 2.—The sharp advance in the cotton market caused a withdrawal of many lines of cotton goods until a revision in prices can be effected. The large commission houses will be closed until Tuesday. A. C. A. tickings were advanced half a cent a yard and were again placed at value. Lines of ticketed bleached goods were placed at value pending an advance. Cotton yarns were advanced half cent a pound before the cotton report was published, and some houses made a further revision upward late in the day. Trade for future delivery continues good with spot business light.

MARKET GOSSIP.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 2.—The stock market today was a trivial affair comparatively, both in the volume of the dealings and in the feeble fluctuations of prices. The imminence of a three-day holiday interval left the speculative element indisposed to take chances of accidents happening during that period. News developments received little attention. The undertone was very firm and the waiting attitude of the speculation was coupled with an apparent determination to cling to present stock holdings. Discounts receded in London and Berlin again and the weekly statement of the German Imperial Bank showed the strain of the settlements in the huge changes in the various items. In Paris, however, the discount rate advanced and the London exchange rate fell back. An additional demand on New York for gold is indicated by these changes. Call loan rates here were easier than yesterday. There was a group of stocks of small bankrupt railroads with re-organization plans being worked out which showed acute weakness and fell rapidly towards the point of extinction of value. Chicago Great Western, for instance, sold as low as 1 1-2. The local traction stocks facing re-organization made violent declines. The general market was comparatively undisturbed by this center of weakness. Copper rose in the London market today and this gave some benefit to the copper industrials. The market was in a state of virtual stagnation at times and closed easy.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $4,674,000. United States 2s registered, the 3s coupon, and the 4s coupon, have declined 1-4 per cent. on call during the week. Sales of stocks during the day 445,000 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 2.—Money on call easy 1 3-4 to 1 7-8 per cent; ruling rate 1 3-4; closing bid and offered at 1 3-4. Time loans very soft and active; 60 days 2 per cent. and 90 days 2 to 2 1-2 per cent; six months 3 1-4 to 12 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3 1-2 to 4. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8665 to 70 for 60 day bills and at 4.8810 for demand. Commercial bills 4.86 to 1-2. Bar silver 51 7-8; Mexican dollars 44. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds irregular.

NEW YORK BONDS.

U. S. refunding 2s reg	101 1-4
U. S. refunding 2s cou	101 1-2
U. S. 3s reg	101 1-2
U. S. 3s cou	101 1-2
U. S. 4s reg	118
U. S. 4s cou	120
American Tobacco Co. 6s	111 5-8
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	95
Baltimore & Ohio, 4s b	100 7-8
L. & N. Unified 4s b	100 1-2
Seaboard Air Line 4s	88
Southern Railway 5s	111
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	105 7-8

Closing Stock Lists.

Amalgamated Copper	82 5-8
Amr. Car & Foundry	57 1-4
Amr. Cotton Oil	74 3-4
Amr. Locomotive	60 1-8
Amr. Smelting & Ref	92 3-4
Amr. Sugar Refining	127 1-2
Atchison	115 3-4
Atchison pfd	104 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line	128
Baltimore & Ohio	118 3-8
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	94 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio	76 3-4
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	154 1-2
Colorado & Southern	56 5-8
Erie	37 3-8
Erie 1st pfd	54 1-4
Erie 2nd pfd	44
Great Northern pfd	150
Kansas City Southern	45 7-8
Kansas City Southern pfd	71
L. & N.	140 1-2
Northern Pacific	152 3-4
Pennsylvania	136 7-8
People's Gas	114 1-2
Reading	157 7-8
Republic Steel pfd	104 1-2
Rock Island Co.	33 7-8
Rock Island Co. pfd	71
Southern Pacific	131 5-8
Southern Pacific pfd	131 1-2
Southern Railway	31 3-8
Southern Railway pfd	68 1-2
Standard Oil Co	685
Union Pacific	194 5-8
Union Pacific pfd	103 1-2
U. S. Steel	69 1-8
U. S. Steel pfd	125 7-8
Va.-Car. Chemical	54 3-8
Western Union	72
Westinghouse Electric Co	84

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 2.—Flour dull and lower to sell.

Rye Flour—Dull.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Rye—Dull.

Wheat—Easy; No. 2 red old 1.45 in elevator and fob. afloat nominal. Options half to 1c net lower. July 1.24 1-8; September 1.17 3-8; December 1.15 7-8; May 1.17 3-4.

Corn—Easy; No. 2 old 79 in elevator. Options 3-4 to 1c net lower. July 78 1-4; September 73 7-8; December 67 7-8.

Oats—Weak; mixed 58 nominal.

Beef—Steady.

Cut Meats—Firm.

Lard—Steady.

Pork—Steady.

Tallow—Firm.

Rice—Firm.

Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw, steady; fair regning 3 42; confectioners A 4.65.

Coffee—Quiet; Rio No. 7, 7 3-4; Santos No. 4, 9 to 9 1-8; mild quiet; Cordova 9 1-2 to 12 1-2. Futures colsed steady at a net advance of 5 to 10 points.

Butter—Steady, unchanged, receipts 6,092.

Cheese—Steady; unchanged; receipts 3,094.

Eggs—Steady; receipts 9,678. State, Pennsylvania and nearby brown and mixed 25 1-2 to 26.

Cotton Seed Oil, while not particularly active, was firm and higher on the bullish Government report on cotton and outside speculative buying. Local shorts also covered over the holidays. New crop months showed the most strength. July 5.69 to 5.72; September 5.99 to 6.00; October 6.00 to 6.02; December 5.82 to 5.83; prime crude nominal; do summer yellow 5.68 to 5.75; do white 5.90 to 6.10; do winter yellow 6.90 to 6.35.

Potatoes—Easier; Southern per barrel 1.25 to 200.

Cabbages—Easy; nearby flat Dutch 3.50 to 4.00 per -00, do small 2.50 to 3.00; Baltimore per crate 90c to 1.00.

Peanuts—Unchanged.

Freights to Liverpool—Steady; cotton by steam 14 to 20c; grain by steam 2d.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, Ills., July 2.—Wheat prices continued to decline on the Board of trade today owing to general selling based on excellent harvesting weather and liberal arrivals of new wheat at Southwestern grain centres. At the close prices showed net losses of 1-2 to 7-8 to 1c. Corn and oats closed extremely weak, but provisions were steady.

	Opening.	Highest.	Closing.
Wheat—			
July	1 14 5-8	1 15	1 14 3-4
Sept	1 10 1-2	1 10 1-2	1 09 7-8
Dec.	1 08 1-4	1 08 5-8	1 08 1-4
Corn—			
July	70 1-4	70 1-2	69 1-2
Sept	66 7-8	66 7-8	66
Dec.	57 3-4	57 3-4	57 1-8
Oats—			
July	48	48 3-8	47 1-2
Sept	43	43	41 7-8
Dec.	42 7-8	43 1-8	42 1-4
Mess Pork, Per bbl.—			
July	20 43 1-2	20 45	20 45
Sept	20 60	20 70	20 62 1-2
Lard, per 100 lbs.—			
July	11 77 1-2	11 80	11 80
Sept	11 80	11 85	11 82 1-2
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—			
July	11 12 1-2	11 20	11 20
Sept	11 17 1-2	11 20	11 20

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 2.—Turpentine steady. Rosin steady, strained common to good 3.15.

Charleston, July 2.—Spirits turpentine quiet 42 3-4. Rosin quiet. Quote: A B C, 2.60 to 2.80; D, 3.05 to 3.10; E, 3.55; F, 3.90 to 3.95.

Savannah, July 2.—Turpentine firm 43 1-2 to 44; sales 731; receipts 862; shipments 243. Rosin firm; sales 2,267; receipts 2,693; shipments 1,127; stock 129,511. Quote: B, 2.65 to 2.80; D, 3.10; E, 3.55; F, 3.90; G, 3.92 1-2; H, 4.07 1-2; I, 4.15; K, 4.90; M, 5.05; N, 5.42 1-2; WG, 5.50; WW, 5.60.

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Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., July 2, 1909.

W. & W. Railroad—3 casks spirits turpentine, 12 barrels tar, 9 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—1 bale cotton, 2 casks spirits turpentine, 4 barrels rosin, 25 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—20 casks spirits turpentine, 8 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—15 casks spirits turpentine, 48 barrels rosin, 27 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—12 casks spirits turpentine, 102 barrels rosin, 10 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Duplin—12 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—1 bale cotton, 52 casks spirits turpentine, 154 barrels rosin, 20 barrels tar, 83 barrels crude turpentine.

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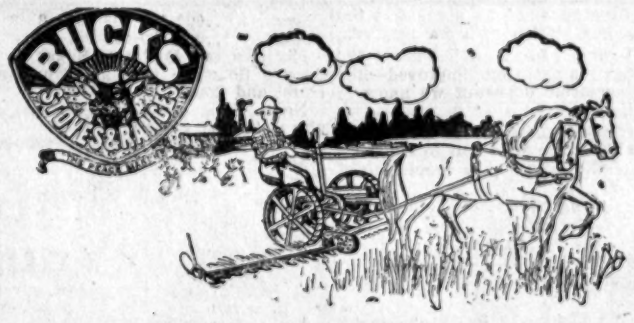

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NO HITS ON HOWARD

(Continued From First Page.)

ors who batted him all over the garden. The game was a brilliant one and was full of ginger from first to last. The visitors hope to retrieve their misfortune of today in tomorrow's games, saying they will take both. Score:

Raleigh .....000 000 000—0 4 2
Wilson .....100 000 11x—3 9 1

Batteries—Brandon and Rowe; Anderson and Gilmore; umpire McLaughlin; time 1:40; attendance 600.

Pinch Hitting at Rocky Mount.

Rocky Mount, N. C., July 2.—Hitting the ball safely in the pinches tells the story of Goldsboro's defeat at the hands of the railroaders this afternoon. Score:

Rocky Mount ...100 210 20x—6 7 4
Goldsboro .....020 010 000—3 2 5

Batteries—Thorpe and Walsh; Stoehr, Forbes and Otis; umpire Barr; time 1:50; attendance 450.

"GIGGLES."

Two!

Going for keeps!

Sixteen in all beat the air.

The last score was literally squeezed over.

Every player on Fayetteville batted about the same; that is, Nil.

Errors were as plentiful as drinking water in a prohibition town.

Safe Hits were as infrequent as foot-prints on Rob- Crusoe's Isle.

Hope the Raleigh 'Boosts' will soon blossom forth again. We're missing them.

Looked real good to see Sex meandering around the sand lot in Sailor togs.

Our error column, like Mr. Webster's publication, seems to be unabridged.

It's No-Hit-Howard again; and this time, the 11th inning kind (Raleigh papers please copy.)

Watters' pitching was clean to the all right, and he had the locals guessing at many a moment.

Brodie was covering ground like a Cooks tourist when he coasted to the checking-in station with our first run.

The game was rather listless in the opening innings, but improved—like some nectarine dopestuff we know of—with age.

The Highlanders drew first blood, but at the same time had to carry off most of the gore at the conclusion of the 11th.

"Grand Old Man" Bussey won his game yesterday in the Virginia League over Portsmouth, 3 to 1, yielding but five hits.

Ashton, the new heaver, did picket duty on the 1st base coaching line. He's of a big heavy frame and looks the ball player, and should be able to deliver the goods.

Rube simply neglected to label his numerous and widely-diversified shoots, so don't go and blame the Highlanders for swallowing hook and all.

Getting a seat on a beach car after dark on Saturday is mere child's play compared with the difficulty the Kilties experienced in landing upon the many perplexing puzzlers in Reuben's repertoire.

The only reason Jayes didn't leave the ball yard laden with floral offerings was because there wasn't a conservatory handy. Pilfering was his specialty, and it's unnecessary to say he starred at it.

Levy flew the distress signal on account of his usual trouble, just after swinging to a hoister, and Doctor Dick calmly posted over to right garden and yanked the nether member back to the old stand.

Jayes kept open house in the left reservation for everything moving in the direction of Winter Park; and made sensational freezes of two flies, one some ways over the foul line and the other in near-centre.

Manager Gwaltney had another long distance telephone message from Catcher Ross last night. There seems to be some complication about his release from Lynchburg but the local management has not yet abondoned hope.

Go out today and see the new twirler serve. We have to hide our face every time the attendance record is run across, for what must some of the smaller places in the league think of us, and the way we support the team. Get Busy!

The Amherst shortstop will be here Sunday according to advices to Manager Gwaltney yesterday. The catcher secured from Amherst will be unable to report this season on account of having just suffered a broken thumb, which will prevent his playing any more this season.

Moultrie, Ga., July 2.—Riddled with bullets, the body of Henry Isaac, a negro, was still hanging to the limb of a tree late this afternoon a short distance from the town of Barwick, where it was strung up at 3 o'clock this morning by a small mob. The negro was found under the bed of a little daughter of J. F. Headley, a leading citizen of Barwick. He was captured and the mob quickly formed.

Life 100,000 Years Ago.

Scientists has found in a cave in Switzerland bones of men, who lived 100,000 years ago, when life was in constant danger from wild beasts. Today the danger, as shown by A. W. Brown, of Alexander, Me., is largely from deadly disease. "If it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery, which cured me, I could not have lived," he writes, "suffering as I did from a severe lung trouble and stubborn cough." To cure Sore Lungs, Colds, obstinate Coughs, and prevent Pneumonia, its the best medicine on earth. 50c and $1.00. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy. Trial bottle free.

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BASE BALL

National League.

Brooklyn, July 2.—New York won in the ninth inning today after Brooklyn had tied the score by pounding Marquard in the eighth, which compelled Manager McGraw to call Raymond to the scene.

New York .....000 012 002—5 10 3
Brooklyn .....000 001 020—3 7 1

Marquard, Raymond and Schlei; Pastorious and Bergen; time 1:56; umpires Klem and Kane.

St. Louis, July 2.—Cincinnati lost a ten-inning game today 4 to 5, when with the bases full Evans safely scored.

St. Louis .....202 000 0001—5 13 4
Cincinnati .....201 010 0000—4 5 3

Beebe and Phelps; Fromme and McLean; time 2:02; umpire Johnstone.

Philadelphia, July 2.—Philadelphia and Boston split even here today. Philadelphia won the first game, which went 11 innings, by 5 to 4, and Boston shut out the home team in the second game through Mattern's splendid twirling.

Philadelphia .002 000 011 01—5 13 2
Boston .....201 001 000 00—4 7 6

Moren, Richie, Covaleskie, McQuillen and Dooin; White, Tuckey and Graham; time 2:17.

Philadelphia ....000 000 000—0 2 0
Boston .....001 000 011—3 10 0

Moore and Dooin and Froelich; Matterns and Bowerman; time 1:45; umpire Rigler.

Pittsburg, July 2.—Pittsburg and Chicago divided a double-header today, the visitors shutting out the locals in the first contest 8 to 0, but losing the second 4 to 2.

Pittsburg .....000 000 000—0 6 4
Chicago .....001 302 020—8 13 3

Camnitz, Adams and Gibson; Simon, Brown and Archer and Moran; time 1:50; umpires Emslie and O'Day.

Pittsburg .....002 000 20x—4 8 4
Chicago .....001 001 000—2 8 3

Time 1:50; umpires Emslie and O'Day.

American League.

Cleveland, July 2.—Detroit defeated Cleveland in a 12-inning game today, 3 to 2.

Cleveland ..000 100 100 000—2 8 3
Detroit .....020 000 000 001—3 10 3

Rhoades and Easterly; Suggs, Mullin and Schmidt; time 2:42; umpires Hurst and Connolly.

New York, July 2.—Washington played its last game in this city today and was shut out 3 to 0.

Washington ....000 000 000—0 5 1
New York .....000 020 01x—3 8 1

Johnson, Altrock and Street; Hughes and Sweeney; time 1:42; umpires Sheridan and Kerin.

Boston, July 2.—Collins' clean hit to the flag pole for a home run gave Philadelphia its fourth victory out of the five-game series with the locals, which ended today, the score being 1 to 0.

Philadelphia ....000 001 000—1 6 2
Boston .....000 000 000—0 4 0

Krause and Thomas; Wood and Carrigan; time 1:45; umpires O'Loughlin and Perrine.

Chicago, July 2.—Chicago swamped St. Louis today 15 to 3. The winners batted Graham and Criss off the slab and hit Howell hard.

Chicago .....500 523 00x—15 14 1
St. Louis .....000 030 000— 3 12 4

Walsh and Payne; Graham, Criss, Howell and Criger and Smith; time 2:05; umpire Evans.

Southern League.

At Nashville 7; Birmingham 4.
At Atlanta 8; Montgomery 0.
No other games scheduled.

South Atlantic League.

At Savannah 11; Chattanooga 5.
At Augusta 1; Macon 4.
Second: Augusta 6; Macon 3.
At Jacksonville-Columbus, rain.
At Charleston 4; Columbia 3.

Virginia League.

At Roanoke 4; Danville 1.
At Richmond 3; Portsmouth 1.
At Norfolk 5; Lynchburg 1.

Carolina League.

At Winston 0; Greensboro 2.
At Charlotte 5; Anderson 1.
At Spartanburg 1; Greenville 6.

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LOST—A leather fob with an Eagle emblem. A suitable reward if returned to No. 8 Chesnut street. jul 3 2t

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

ANNOUNCEMENT CARD—On Saturday, August 7th, the People's Building and Loan Association will open new series of stock. Shares 25 cents. Remember the date and subscribe for stock early. Office 206 Princess street. jul 2 tf

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LADIES AID SOCIETY of Christian Church, will run an all day excursion to Carolina Beach, July 5th. There will be four boats, the last boat reaching Wilmington at 11:30 P. M. Round trip 25 cents. jul 2 3t

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FOR SALE—Lots 3, 4, 5 and 6 in block 519, situated on 14th street between Wooster and Dawson, and lots 4, 5 and 6 in block 524 situated on 15th, between Dawson and Wright. Will sell for cash or on time. Apply to Morris Bear & Bros. jl 2-3t.

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WANTED—Young ladies to learn overall making, anyone who can do plain sewing can learn in a week. We pay fair wages while learning; after you become experienced, you can earn from $6 to $9 per week. We have fans for you while you work. Coolest building in town. Write at once to Marion Clothing Factory, M. Johnson, superintendent, Marion, S. C. jl 2-6t.

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FOR SALE—Five cows, at prices to suit. Will arrive with whole car load about July 3rd. Don't buy till you see the bunch. Harry L. Kidd, 1416 Market street. jul 1 tf

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WANTED—Board and room in private family for young married couple. References exchanged. Must be close in or on car line. Address "M" care of Star. jun 27 tf

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THE GILBERT HOUSE combines home comforts with hotel conveniences, Front and Princess streets, junction of all cars, cars to depot. Electric lights and hot water, well screened, no mosquitos. Table equals the best and rates reasonable. Rates to regular and table boarders. 'Phone 827. je 19-tf.

A FINE BIRD DOG—Or a measly cur would enjoy a bath with our 'Verribees' Flea and Mange Soap. Its soothes mange and drives away fleas. 'Phone Hall's Drug Store. Ten cents a cake, delivered. ma 23 tf

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WE PAY the highest prices for old gold and silver at the Wilmington Pawn & Loan Office, 108 Market street. je 29-tf.

FOR RENT—From October 1st, store No. 116 Market, near Front street now and for the past ten years occupied by Mr. J. Weil as a retail dry goods store. This is one of the largest stores in the city, size 25x120 feet with large plate glass show windows, fine shelving and counters. Second floor above store can be secured if desired. B. H. J. Ahrens. je 29-6t.

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NOTICE.

All Deputy Sheriffs appointed by me, but who do not now hold written commissions from me are hereby notified that their appointments are withdrawn.

S. P. COWAN,
jl 3-1t. Sheriff New Hanover County.

NOTICE.

On account of Legal Holiday the Freight Warehouses of the Seaboard Air Line and Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Companies at Wilmington will be closed Monday, July 5th, except from 8 to 10 o'clock A. M. for the delivery of perishable freight.

F. A. FETTER, JR.
Agent, Seaboard Air Line Ry.
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SOMETHING Good to Eat.

Choice Beef, fine fat Veal and Lamb, Spring Chickens, fresh Eggs, Butter, Hams and Bacon, whole or sliced raw or boiled.

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Phones 141 or 128.
Stalls No. 1 and 2, North Side; No. 1 and 3 South Side.
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Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company
Office of the Treasurer,
Wilmington, N. C., June 28, 1909.

The Board of Directors of Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has declared a dividend of three per cent. on the Common Capital Stock of that Company, payable at the office of the Treasurer, at Wilmington, North Carolina, on and after July 10th, 1909, to stockholders of record on the 22nd day of June, 1909. The transfer books are closed from the 22nd day of June, 1909, at three o'clock P. M., to the 12th day of July, 1909, at ten o'clock A. M., both dates inclusive.

JAMES F. POST,
Treasurer.
jl 1-to-10.

Nitrate of Soda

389 Bogs Nitrate Soda.

186 Bags Muriate Potash.

111 Bags Sulphate Potash.

119 Bbls Large Mullets.

115 Bushels Field Peas.

89 Cases Jumbo Tomatoes.

164 Cases Royal Red Tomatoes.

118 Bags Ship Stuff.

111 Bags Wheat Bran.

389 Bags Corno Mule Feed.

76 Bags Corno Hen Feed.

29 Bags Corno Chick Feed.

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Capital	$100,000.00
Profits, net	7,000.00
Stockholders' Liability	100,000.00
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THOS. E. COOPER, Cashier.

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WILMINGTON CLEARING HOUSE ASSOCIATION
J. V. GRAINGER, Secretary.

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